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Tension Declines As Poland Receives Assurances

GERMANY POSTPONES DANZIG ADVENTURE

R.A.F. PLANES FOR FRANCE

THE BRIGHTEST WEEK-END NEWS in many months is contained in despatches from Europe this morning.

It is strongly rumoured in London, says a "United Press" message, that Poland has received assurances that Nazi military preparations in Danzig are to be discontinued forthwith.

In addition, Herr Hitler may cancel his projected visit to the Free City, scheduled for July 26.

TO LEAVE BERLIN

This news followed reports that the German dictator is going into retirement at his summer Chancellery at Berchtesgaden.

A decree was published in the official Gazette yesterday, forbidding all aeroplanes from flying over Berchtesgaden and its vicinity.

The restricted area, which centres around Hitler's mountain home, embraces the district bounded by Bissouwishen, Hallein, Scherzgoell and Koenigsee.

Herr Hitler has appointed Commander Alvin Albrecht as his personal adjutant. Albrecht succeeds Capt. A. D. Wiedemann, who has been appointed German Consul General at San Francisco.

WARNING POSTPONED

Mr. Chamberlain has postponed until next week the declaration of British policy in Danzig, which he was to have made in the House of Commons to-day.

Concurrently with these reports of a decrease in German aggressiveness, "United Press" reveals that negotiations between Britain and Soviet Russia are to be re-opened.

The British Ambassador in Moscow, Sir William Seeds, and Mr. William Strang, the British Foreign Office expert, conferred yesterday with M. Naggiar, the French Ambassador.

PRESIDENT OPPOSED Congress War On Neutrality

WASHINGTON, July 7. SENATOR HIRAM JOHNSON, representing San Francisco, stated to-day that 34 Senators had signed a declaration that they will fight any change in the existing neutrality law "by every honourable, and legitimate means at our command."

The declaration reads: "We are unalterably opposed to the repeal or modification of the present neutrality law. We are against discretion being lodged in the hands of any chief executive to determine an aggressor or aggressors in any war abroad. We believe in the true neutrality of our nation in the case of any armed conflict."

The declaration is interpreted as a threat to engage in a prolonged debate on the Administration's proposals. Some Senators said they considered it an open threat to filibuster.

Administration Senators are not greatly perturbed by Senator Johnson's move. They assert that his influence is not what it used to be and they profess increasing confidence that President Roosevelt will ultimately get his way, while admitting that a protracted and bitter debate is likely.—Reuter.

R.A.F. Planes For France

Meanwhile, Great Britain and France have concluded arrangements under which British bombers will be able to carry out long-distance training flights over France.

A squadron of crack R.A.F. bombers is already prepared to go to Belgium for the first of a series of courtesy visits to friendly nations.

"At the same time," reports "United Press," "the courtesy visits serve notice on the world that Britain's fighting forces are ready for action."

Commenting on the proposed British training flights over France, "Reuter" says: "It would clearly be of the greatest value if the personnel of the British and French air forces were able to obtain practice in long-distance flying over unfamiliar terrain."

"British machines would consequently be able to engage in practice flying from any part of Britain to places in the south and south-east of France."

"These arrangements will entail the closest co-operation between the members of two air forces and will enable them to profit by each other's experiences, while giving them a close view of each other's problems."

Swiss Neutrality

BERNE, July 7.—The Federal Council has decided that Switzerland's neutrality is beyond discussion.

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H.M.S. FALCON'S ESCAPE

CHUNGKING, July 8. THE BRITISH gunboat Falcon was shaken when a bomb from one of the 27 raiding Japanese planes fell within 50 yards of her.

The Falcon was jerked towards the river-bank, while water splashed the decks, and pictures were knocked off cabin bulkheads.

Bombs also fell dangerously near other British and American gunboats lying off Chungking.

Thirty people were buried alive in a dug-out near the house of the United States Ambassador.—Reuter.

MONEY NEMESIS OVERTAKING REICH

Germany (Her Own Gold Gone) Wants New Media

THE HAGUE, July 7. REICH MINISTER Herr Funk, in an interview with Dutch papers to-day, expressed the conviction that the gold standard could no longer function effectively because there are many countries not possessing gold with which to settle their outstanding balances.

Now that gold has disappeared from many countries, he said, the foundation has been laid for a new monetary system—that of an entire nation's organised labour.

Formerly financial matters could influence the entire world, but now this influence is no longer accepted by countries not possessing gold.

Herr Funk claimed that the United States was none too happy with the gold she has amassed.

He expressed the opinion that America would either have to leave her gold untouched, or would have to face inflation, which would be disastrous for the entire world.

He praised the Bank of International Settlements as a forum where directors of all circulation banks could freely exchange views.

He emphatically denied that Germany is on the verge of inflation.

"This is impossible in an authoritarian State," he asserted. "If this should happen the country would have ceased to be authoritarian."

Herr Funk stressed the value of good economic relations between Holland and Germany, and the possibility of co-operation between systems.

He said his visit to Holland was to show the world that Germany was not only deeply interested in southeastern Europe but also would much appreciate close relations with Western Europe.

The negotiations between Germany and Holland, he said, inspired hope that a new agreement will be reached soon under which many obstacles can be abolished.—United Press.

PRIESTLEY ON CHINA

Only Country To Give New Hope

LONDON, July 7. THE ONLY country that gives hope at the present time is China, declared Mr. J. B. Priestley at a luncheon of the China Campaign Committee to-day.

Greater things are happening in China than anywhere else in the world, declared Mr. Carl Crow, the same function.

The turning point of the war has been reached and hereafter China would grow stronger and Japan weaker.—Reuter.

Madame's Appeal

CHUNGKING, July 8.—An appeal to the Powers to fulfil their treaty obligations and to enforce economic sanctions against Japan, and to give China material aid was made by Madame Chiang Kai-shek in a broadcast to the United States at the request of the American Committee for Non-Participation in Aggression, of which Mr. H. L. Stimson is chairman.

Madame Chiang contended that economic sanctions against Japan and material assistance to China would result in the early collapse of Japan.

—Reuter.

Peiping Normal

PEIPING, July 7.—The second anniversary of the start of the Sino-Japanese hostilities passed very quietly and the city went about its normal business without any incidents being reported.

General Sugiyama visited Lukichiao where the hostilities began and afterwards issued a statement asserting that the Japanese army has achieved tremendous results in bringing the Chiang regime to the verge of collapse.

He then referred to Tientsin and said that the "tension over the British Concession in Tientsin was the natural result of the hostilities to the present stage. It is the duty of the Japanese in North China to settle it fundamentally, and if it is not settled the object of our sacred war, the establishment of a new order in East Asia and the rebirth of China, will never be attained."

—Reuter

Germany's Two-Sided Policy In East

NAZI MUNITIONS FLOW TO CHINA

Ships More War Materials To China Than Any Other Nation

GERMANY, a declared friend of Japan, is shipping more arms and munitions to China through Singapore than any other nation.

Hundreds of tons of German shells, cartridges and military explosives, including troyl, have arrived at Singapore for China in German ships.

One ship's cargo included about 1,000 automatic pistols and another brought 1,000 cases of smokeless powder.

To avoid the Japanese blockade of the China coast, German arms and munitions are being transhipped at Singapore into a storage vessel lying beyond harbour limits.

This steamer, which is flying the Chinese flag, has hundreds of tons of military explosives and a quantity of arms and munitions on board. Munitions and arms for China will be picked up from this storage vessel and later delivered.

Singapore Anxiety

Singapore harbour authorities are not anxious to have large shipments of dangerous explosives lying about the harbour and the transhipment of these cargoes is not welcomed, when it is remembered that an area with a radius of miles was flattened completely when a munition ship exploded at Halifax during the Great War.

Although the same check cannot be kept on the amount of German military equipment, such as motor transport vehicles arriving at Singapore, it is believed that this exceeds the amount supplied to China by any other nation.

More than 50 military, camouflaged cars for China from Germany were unloaded from a German freighter at the Singapore wharves at the start of the China coast blockade and thousands of cases of ammunition were transhipped.

Apart from the amount of German arms and munitions for China arriving at Singapore, huge quantities of German munitions, are being shipped direct to Rangoon and delivered over the new Burma Road.

Commons Question

When Sir John Wardlaw-Milne asked in the House of Commons recently for information on the sale of munitions to China by Germany and Italy, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in a written reply declared that arms and munitions imported by the Chinese Government did not all pass through British territory, but of those which had, war material of German origin exceeded in quantity that of any other country since the opening of hostilities.

The United States navy announced that Mr. George Baxter, of the United Press Association in Hongkong, has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Commander in the U.S. Naval Reserve of Officers.

Mount Of Olives Menaced

LONDON, July 7.—The historic Mount of Olives in Palestine is menaced owing to the great expansion of new Jerusalem—a city which has arisen outside the walls of the old city.

A Colonial Office statement, drawing attention to this, believes that Christians everywhere will share the great hope of the Jerusalem authorities that a trust will be formed, similar to the National Trust in England, to purchase the sacred place.

"Once inviolate, the Mount could be replanted with olive trees and remain a place of pilgrimage," says the statement.—Reuter Special.

Mr. Li Tse-fong has been appointed an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council during the absence from the colony of Dr. Li Shu-fan.



"NEWS-REEL" HULL

Canton Camera-Man Wins High Award

ATLANTIC CITY, July 7. "NEWS-REEL" A. T. Hull, whose dramatic photographs of the fall and burning of Canton were exclusively published in the Far East in the "Hongkong Telegraph," has been awarded the trophy of the National Headliners' Club for the best photographic news coverage in 1938.

Mr. Hull's received the award for his camera coverage of the Japanese aerial bombings and fall of Canton.

The National Headliners' Club also announced that Mr. Reynolds Packard, Madrid Manager of "United Press," won the award for the best exclusive reporting of the year, for his reports on the Czech-Slovakian crisis in September.—United Press.

CRISIS IN HOLLAND

Queen Wilhelmina Summons Leaders

THE HAGUE, July 7. QUEEN WILHELMINA has invited for conference at her Palace to-night the presidents of the Chamber, the Senate, the Vice-President of the Privy Council and the chiefs of Staff of the Army and Navy and experts in Dutch East Indies affairs.

This is regarded as an indication that the Queen is most anxious to solve the Cabinet crisis with the least possible delay, in view of the dangerous international situation in Europe, as well as in Asia.—United Press.

Unique Step

THE HAGUE, July 7.—Queen Wilhelmina has decided to consult the Presidents of the Chambers and also the army and navy chiefs in connection with the formation of a new Government, after Dr. Colijn was unable to form a Cabinet.

This is the first time such a step has been taken by a Dutch sovereign, and it is interpreted in political quarters as an indication of the desire to form a national defence Cabinet.—Reuter.

Now It Really Gets Warm To-day Is Day Of "Slight Heat"

To-day is Hsiao Shu, or "Slight Heat," one of the 24 seasonal dates in the lunar year.

It is the day on which, according to the Chinese school of meteorology, the hot summer weather really begins.

Usually "Slight Heat" is one of the very warm days of the season. It seldom rains on this day. If it does it is considered as a blessing from Heaven.

Many Chinese homes this afternoon will prepare their traditional summer congee, made with a handful of rice, a big slice of pumpkin and two or three lotus leaves.

The taking of this pumpkin congee, they believe, can relieve the bodies from the "heat" of the day.

July 24 is the day of "Great Heat"—the hottest day in the year, according to the lunar calendar.

McNutt Will Not Oppose Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Referring to the 1940 Presidential campaign, Mr. Paul McNutt, High Commissioner for the Philippines, declared that he would not contest the Democratic nomination for President in next year's Presidential election if President Roosevelt becomes candidate for a third term.—Reuter.

Chinese Enter Kongmoon

SHUHING, July 8.—Chinese regular forces with the aid of guerrillas are reported to have forced an entry into Kongmoon.

The Japanese military headquarters housed in a restaurant was attacked, suffering heavy losses.

Fighting is meanwhile in progress outside the northern city gate of Sunwu.—Central News.

WARDER SENTENCED IN 'ROASTED CONVICT' CASE

PHILADELPHIA, July 7. FRANK A. CRAVEN, deputy warden of the Philadelphia county gaol, who was convicted on January 1 of involuntary manslaughter in connection with the death of four convicts who were found "roasted" as a result of a hunger strike in the prison, has been sentenced to from one to three years imprisonment.

He immediately gave notice of appeal in the Pennsylvania Supreme Court.—Reuter.

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POET'S DAUGHTER SEEKS LOST WORKS

Trying To Solve Puzzle Of Symonds Family

DAME KATHARINE FURSE is trying to solve a family mystery—the disappearance of the private papers of her father, John Addington Symonds, the critic and poet of the past century.

Symonds left them to his friend Horatio Brown, the historian, who removed them to Venice, and on his death in 1926 left them in turn to a person whose name is unknown.

Dame Katharine is anxious to get in touch with this person before she finishes her memoirs, on which she is now working.

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Among the missing papers was the autobiography of her father, which was not to be published until 1976.

At her Chelsea flat Dame Katharine said that she has had the strange experience of "discovering" her own father. She had never read any of his works until she began to consider writing her memoirs.

Now she is fascinated by the personality disclosed in the books.

"DID NOT LIKE BOOKS"

"As a girl," said Dame Katharine, "I never listened to the talk of the brilliant people who gathered around my father's table. I did not care for books, but loved sports and outdoor life."

Woman Cyclist Gets £7,921

MISS BARBARA FISHER, aged 27, who used to captain her works' hockey team and was "completely crippled" by an accident while cycling, was awarded £7,921 damages at Lancaster Assizes recently.

Miss Fisher is the daughter of the Rev. Charles Fisher, a retired clergyman, of West Bank, near Lancaster. It was stated that a car driven by the defendant, Mrs. Mabel Ritchie, of Norwood-drive, Torrisholme, Morecambe, ran into Miss Fisher's machine from behind.

Miss Fisher received a wound on the head in which seven stitches had to be inserted. Rheumatoid arthritis subsequently developed.

Liability was admitted, and the issue was one of the amount of damages.

As a girl Miss Fisher was a good student, and at 17 took a course in agriculture at the Monmouthshire Agricultural College, Usk.

She had no schooling, and the family did not seem greatly concerned whether she ever learned to read or write.

Two other famous members of her family will appear in Dame Katharine's book—her husband, Charles W. Furse, the painter, who died in 1904, and her aunt, Marianne North, the naturalist, whose flower paintings are in a special gallery at Kew.

The original manuscript of Symonds' translation of Benvenuto Cellini's Autobiography was given to the Red Cross during the War by one of Dame Katharine's sisters. Dame Katharine's Red Cross staff bought for £450 and presented it to her. She has now given the manuscript to the British Museum.

When her father retired she secured a post as shorthand typist, and a letter from her employers stated that she had excellent prospects of promotion.

Miss Fisher's left arm was stated to be useless, but she could raise her right arm to her lips. Her jaw was so damaged that she could only open her mouth about half an inch.

Three specialists pronounced her a complete cripple.



Generalissimo Francisco Franco, left, chats attentively with Pilar Primo de Rivera, daughter of the late Spanish dictator, Primo de Rivera, at a reception in Real monastery, Madrid, following recent victory parade.

BERRIES (AND ADMIRALS) FOR TEA

FORTY-TWO sailor boys from the training ship *Stark* were invited to tea and strawberries on the House of Commons terrace recently. They sat down and set to.

A moment later they had to spring to attention for Admiral of the Fleet Sir Roger Keyes arrived to inspect them.

Again they sat down, but hardly had another strawberry vanished than up they sprang again as Admiral Sir Percy Royle appeared.

They resumed their seats—and Admiral Sir Murray Sueter hurried in. Up they got again.

Nor was that the end of the inspection, for Rear-Admiral Beamish, Vice-Admiral Taylor and Commander Marsden came along to see them.

But at last the interrupted tea party settled down—and the Admirals sat with the boys.

World's Wheat Crop Breaks Record

THE world has just grown the largest crop of wheat in its history, and there are abundant supplies of barley, oats and rye.

The world's granaries are bulging, prices have collapsed, and while some Governments, such as the German, are passing measures to prevent use of these ample supplies, others, such as the Governments of U.S.A., Canada, Australia, Argentina and the Danubian countries, have had to intervene with price guarantees to save their farmers from being ruined by their own enterprise and the bounty of nature.

This is the latest picture of our mad world painted with an unflattering brush in the Imperial Economic Committee's Report on "Grain Crops," published recently by H. M. Stationery Office, price 2s. 6d.

NEARLY 20 PER CENT. UP

The world in 1938-39 has grown 120,498,000 tons of wheat, or just upon 20 per cent. more than the previous year.

All the chief exporting countries have shared in this bumper output and North America exceeded her enormous crop of 33,830,000 tons in 1931 by an extra 600,000 tons in 1938.

Apart from efforts in certain countries, including Great Britain to grow more wheat at home, there has been a tendency to use less wheat for animal food and more of other kinds of fodder instead, particularly grass. As our knowledge of grass management increases this tendency is likely to be intensified.

Germany has also been insisting upon high rates of wheat extraction by her millers and has enforced the mixture of other cereal flour and potato flour with her wheat flour.

GERMANY'S RESERVE

But Germany in 1938 was the second largest importer of wheat in the world, a position usually occupied by Belgium.

The United Kingdom, of course, is far and away the largest, for we normally import about 5,000,000 tons a year, compared with Belgium's normal import of about 1,000,000 tons.

From the figures given it is fairly evident that Germany has bought and is conserving a big reserve of wheat, for her 1,248,000 tons of imports in 1938 were more than double her imports of the more normal years such as 1931 and 1932.

In addition, her production at home has slightly increased, and there are the measures already mentioned for decreasing the use of wheat in Germany.

But it is estimated that the inclusion of the Sudeten areas in the Reich has increased German requirements by between 300,000 and 370,000 tons, while the added wheat production is only between 27,000 and 54,000 tons.

This heavy demand upon Germany's wheat reserves by her new acquisitions in Central Europe must make Rumania and Hungary, with a joint export of about 1,200,000 tons

of wheat a year, look particularly attractive to the rulers of the Reich.

Two minor points of interest that arise in the report are, firstly, that Holland with an average yield of 23.1cwt. per acre, is the most intensive producer of wheat in the world; it compares with 16.1cwt. in Britain and only 6.4cwt. in Canada.

The other point is that although supplies and prices of wheat have fluctuated so widely in the past five years—prices by as much as 100 per cent.—the world utilisation of wheat and wheat flour has remained roughly the same in each of these years.

Wheat appears to be one of those commodities in which a fall in price does not stimulate demand. L. F. E.

Grows Trees As A Hobby

THIRTY trees, all different specimens, represent the strange hobby which Mr. G. H. Clarke enjoys in his garden in Windsor Road, Cambridge.

A civil servant, Mr. Clarke devotes all the time he can spare from his wife and family to the care of his plantation, which he set 18 months ago.

He said recently: "Most of my trees are commercial timber, including Californian redwoods, which grow as high as 300 feet, western red cedars from Canada, five different kinds of pine, the mountain ash, and the Italian black poplar."

Mr. Clarke hopes to put his hobby on a commercial basis.

"I am watching the growth of the trees," he said, "to see how they react to the soil and the climate."

"My Californian redwoods are only two or three inches high, but when I have had time to study them I shall try to buy some land on the Cornish coast, where I hope to grow saleable timber."

"The Forestry Commission have found that these giant redwoods grow best in coastal valleys, and I believe they are growing some in Wales."

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"But, Lord Henry, isn't this rather sudden? It was only last night that I chanced to catch sight of you in Regent Street on the roof of a taxicab, sounding a fanfare on what appeared to be a hunting-horn."

"Don't remind me of it, Meredith. If you only knew how I feel. Not a morsel of food has passed my lips since a brace of devilled bones at three a.m."

"I am indeed sorry to hear that."

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"Is this true, Meredith?"

"I am speaking, Lord Henry, as your solicitor."

"Thank you, Meredith, from the bottom of my heart. You have given me fresh hope. Believe me, when I do come to make my will you shall not be forgotten."

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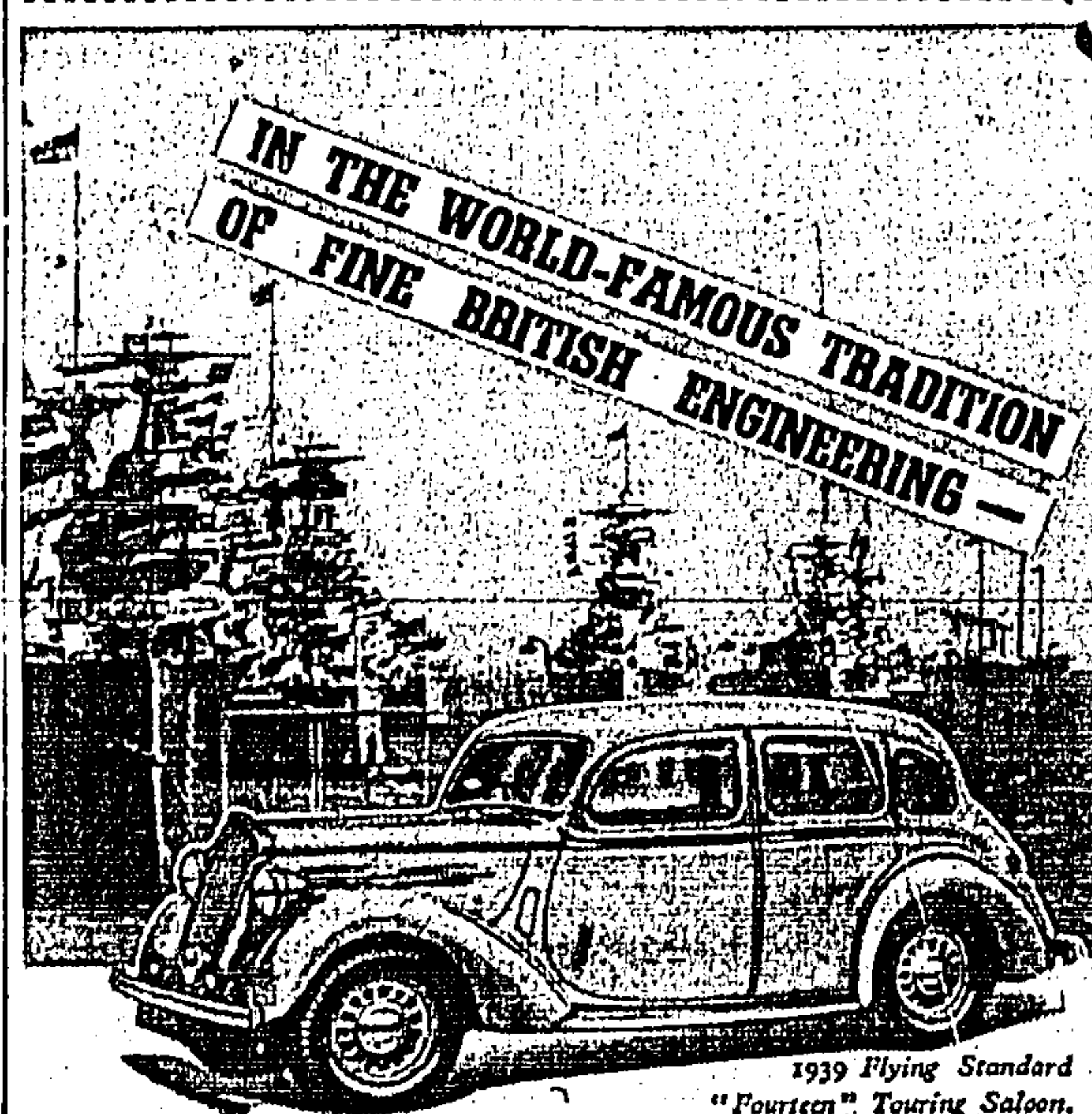
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FATHER CUTS OFF 'VARSITY LOVER

SAM MERCER, 20-years-old American Oxford under-graduate, who has eloped with Lucy Joad, daughter of Professor C. E. M. Joad, is to be disinherited by his father.

His sister said, at his mother's Knightsbridge flat: "Mother has spoken on the phone to my father, who is in America, and Dad has decided to cut Sam off without a penny."

"We are not prepared to have anything more to do with him. He is just a silly young fool, and all this talk about making a career for himself is nonsense. He can't do a thing."

"In fact, the only thing he can do is to talk French fluently. I must say he is not bad at that."

"WE ARE NOT INTERESTED"

"Would we welcome him back? Yes, I suppose so, but it is no good him coming back with Lucy. My mother is in a nursing home, and I have just seen her."

"She is very upset with the whole business, and quite agrees with my father. They must realise perfectly well there is no chance of them possibly getting married without father or mother agreeing, and they will never get their consent."

"Godness knows what will become of them. But, as far as we are concerned, we're simply not interested."

Miss Joad, who is also an Oxford under-graduate, said:

"We are not expecting our parents to help us. We are going to find jobs and get married as soon as possible."

"Our parents do not know where we are, and perhaps do not want to know," said Mercer. "We have to work and build up our careers by ourselves."

"We will perhaps find some place where we can get married soon. If not, we wait until we come of age, then we will marry in England."

When Mr. Mercer was told of his father's decision he said: "All I have to say is that I am not surprised."

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Marine Insurance

Advices received recently concerning the British motor-vessel Baltabor, which grounded near Liepaja, Latvia, on February 12, stated that the vessel had been refloated and towed into Liepaja harbour, where she had been beached. The last rate quoted for reinsurance was 60 per cent. The Baltabor, of 2,502 tons, managed by the United Baltic Corporation, Limited, was built in 1924, and is ex Cumbal, ex Santa Monica, ex City San Francisco. At the time of the casualty the vessel was on a voyage from Riga to London.

WAR RISK INSURANCES

An addition has been made to the schedule of minimum rates for covering the risks of war and strikes, riots, and civil commotion, which do not come within the scope of the War Risks Cargo Pool. The War Rating Committee have agreed that merchandise shipped in vessels trading between Baltic ports, but excluding local coasting voyages, will be subject to a minimum premium of 35 per cent. The necessary addition has been made to the section of the schedule dealing with local and miscellaneous voyages.

REINSURANCE RATES

The following reinsurance rates are now being quoted in the London market:—

Wealthy Parish Is Frugal

CAMERON, LA. Cameron parish doesn't believe in displaying its wealth. The parish, at the extreme southeastern part of Louisiana, has only one brick building, but that does not house a bank—there is none. Oil and cattle have brought the parish the highest per capita wealth in the state.

Vessel	Voyage & Casualty per cent.	Guinea
Luscar	Sunk in Talcuano Bay	70
Thetis	Carrying out acceptance trials from Birkenhead. Sunk off Great Ormes Head	60

Defence Chiefs In Conference



The only time that three British General Officers Commanding the Far East have ever met. Left to right: Major-General Macleod, G. O. C. Burma; Major-General Dobbie, G. O. C. Malaya; Major-General Grasett, G. O. C. British Troops in China. This picture was taken at the Singapore Defence Conference.



An informal study. At the small table is Major G. R. Way, General Staff Officer, China, and at the big table (left to right) are Brigadier M. A. Studd, of the Malaya Command; Col. G. B. Henderson, Deputy Director of Military Operations and Intelligence, India and Major-General A. E. Grasett, G.O.C. British Troops, China. On far side: Squadron Leader F. E. Watts, liaison officer; Wing Commander F. Woolley, Staff Officer (Intelligence) Far East; and Group Captain A. G. Bishop, Air Adviser to the Government of Burma.



British and French generals discuss a point at the Singapore Defence Conference—(left to right) Colonel Lacaille, Chief of Staff to Lieut. General M. Martin, Commander-in-Chief of the French Army in Indo-China (centre), who is talking to Major-General W. G. S. Dobbie, G.O.C. Malaya.

Single Cyclists Fined Double Sum

SHOULD single men pay double the fines imposed on married men for the same offence?

When seven cyclists were summoned at Wimbledon recently for riding on the wrong side of a "Keep Left" sign, Mr. Roy Lancaster, who was in the chair, asked each of the offenders, "Are you married or single?"

Three who admitted being single were fined 5s. each, but four who said they were married escaped with a fine of 2s. 6d.

"MEANS AS MUCH" Afterwards Mr. Lancaster, a director of the Prudential Assurance Company and chairman of the Wimbledon and Putney Commons Conservators, who has been married for more than 40 years and has three grown-up daughters, explained the reason for his discrimination.

"In my opinion," he said, "a fine of 2s. 6d. means just as much to a

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At the Home Office it was stated that no official rule had been laid down. It was said an official, the duty of magistrates in considering offences to take into account "all the circumstances" in relation to each case, including the means of the offender.

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PROFESSIONAL THIEF

Ordered Imprisonment For Nine Months

Alleged by the Police to be a professional thief, Yung Pak-ho, 23, bricklayer, appeared before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy yesterday on three charges of theft of property from dwelling houses.

He was charged with the theft of three wrist watches, a pipe, a pen-knife and a screw-driver from 22 Stubbs Road, the residence of Mr. A. L. Fisher; theft of a travelling clock from 38 Stubbs Road, the residence of Mr. A. M. L. Soares; and theft of a wrist watch, a clock and a pair of trousers from 18 Stubbs Road, the property being that of an amah, Au Lai-chung, employed at that address.

Detective-Sergeant T. Cashman said that about 6 a.m. on July 5, a "boy" employed by Mr. Fisher was awakened by the sound of some running. He got up and saw defendant attempting to leave the grounds of the premises.

The "boy" gave chase, and with the assistance of another servant, managed to arrest defendant.

The stolen property was found in his possession when he was searched. Enquiries made by the Police led Yung to confess to the theft of the property belonging to the amah. This he had disposed of to a marine hawker, and it had not been recovered.

The total value of the property stolen was \$303.50.

Yung was sentenced to three months' hard labour on each of the charges, the terms to run consecutively, and he was also recommended for banishment.

His Worship, on the request of Sgt. Cashman, who drew his attention to the good work done by the two servants, Mak Chi, and Chu Ting-hei, commended them.

The next Criminal Sessions will commence on Monday, July 17.

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STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued yesterday says: As the week progressed, and as mentioned yesterday, enquiries for the more popular stocks are broadening. A local section of investors is displaying an increasing interest in H.K. Banks, Lands and Utilities. So far this buying has not led to an advance in prices, for the attraction possibly has been the acquisition of shares slightly under the nominal quotations recorded at the beginning of the week. But it must not be supposed that shares will continue to be available at present levels. In the absence of any further untoward political news, should the demand for the more popular stocks be maintained, it may be fairly assumed resistance point has about now been reached, and some slight improvement in price levels should ensue.

Business Done During the Week
H.K. Bank \$1,325, \$1,315, \$1,325, \$1,330
Union Ins. \$432½, \$425
Wharves \$108
Providents \$4½, \$4.55
H.K. & S. Hotels \$5½
Lands \$35½
Tramways \$16.60, \$16½, \$16.40, \$16½
Star Ferries \$60¼
China Lights (Old) \$8.20
Electricity \$54, \$54¼
Cements \$12.80, \$12½
Watsons \$8.20
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Buyers
H.K. Bank \$1,330
Providents \$4.60
H.K. Lands \$35
H.K. Lands Debentures par
H.K. Tramways \$16½
China Lights (Old) \$8.15
Cements \$12.50
Watsons \$8.20
Wing On (H.K.) \$4½
H.K. Govt. 4½ Loan 4½ prem
H.K. Govt. 3½ Loan par

Sellers
Union Ins. \$425
Humphreys \$8¼

Sales
Union Ins. \$425
Providents \$4.65
Humphreys \$8.10
H.K. Tramways \$16.65/55
H.K. Electricity \$54½
Watsons \$8¼

JERUSALEM, July 7.—The appeal court has reduced the sentence on the lawyer Seligman, who was found guilty of conspiring in smuggling Jewish refugees into Palestine, from six months to four months imprisonment. —Reuter.

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WITNESSES REBUKED

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PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS

of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 10th day of July, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Sham-shui-po, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Area. Rent	Upset Price
1	New Kowloon Island	At the foot of New Kowloon Island, Lot No. 2533, Castle Peak Road, Sham-shui-po.	as per plan.	About 7,630	\$10	\$11,415

GERMANY POSTPONES DANZIG ADVENTURE

BERLIN, July 7.—The Bulgarian Premier, on an official visit to Berlin, is quoted to-day in the "Angriff" as saying: "I have heard and read about the Fuehrer, but only my personal impression has completed the picture. The hearings emanating from him make him so lovable!"

"We see in Germany a great example which is worth imitating, although it is not yet attainable," the Bulgarian Prime Minister added.

It is understood that Mr. Kischewski will extend his visit to Germany by one day in order to tour southern Germany after leaving Berlin by a special train at 6 p.m. to-day. —United Press.

"Factor Of Order"

BERLIN, July 7.—Bulgaria was referred to as a "factor of order" in South-East Europe in a communique issued last night at the conclusion of the visit of the Bulgarian Premier, M. Kischewski, which speaks of the "natural and traditional" friendship between Bulgaria, Germany and Italy.

The communique mentions the desire to deepen their political, economic and cultural relations.

It is learned that the talks between M. Kischewski and Herr von Ribbentrop were largely of an economic character, but Bulgaria and the Macedonian questions were discussed at some length.

Bulgaria has not yet officially raised her claims in these connections and the problems are not regarded here as pressing.

German officials profess to sympathize with the Bulgarian claims, but there is no evidence that this sympathy is likely to be expressed concretely in the near future. —Reuter.

PROSECUTION CLOSES

Further Evidence Heard In Dockyard Assault Case

Evidence for the prosecution closed yesterday, in the hearing of a summons for assault brought by Zaffer Khan, former member of the Royal Naval Dockyard Police, against five colleagues, before Mr. T. J. Houston at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

The defendants, Sub-Inspector Abdul Rahman, and Constables Karim Baksh, Abdul Rahman, Mohammed Din and Abdul Gaffoor, were alleged to have assaulted Khan on March 10 in the quarters of the Indian Police, inside the Dockyard.

Mr. M. A. da Silva represented Khan, and the defendants were represented by Mr. W. M. Brown. Inspector A. B. Allan, in charge of the Dockyard Police, was in Court. Constable Mohammed Khan said he saw the four constable defendants attempt to seize and strike Zaffer Khan on the orders of the Sub-Inspector. Gaffoor was the first to move, and he was pushed away by Khan. Gaffoor fell against the fireplace. The other Indians then rushed in and struck Khan.

Constable Muzaffar Shah gave corroborative evidence. The defence opened with the evidence of Sub-Inspector Abdul Rahman, who denied the alleged assault. Hearing was adjourned to July 18 at 2.30 p.m.

Mr. H. R. Butters has been appointed Secretary for Chinese Affairs. Miss Cheng Tak-kwan has been appointed a Public Vaccinator. Mr. A. B. Purves has been appointed Director of Public Works.

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The number of emigrants leaving the Colony for the Straits Settlements during the month of June, 1939, was 2,223.

Mr. R. M. Laville, Consul for the Argentine Republic at Hongkong, has assumed charge of the Consulate.

French Financial Expert Dies

PARIS, July 7.—The death is announced of M. Jean Tannery, a prominent figure in French finance and Governor of the Banque de France in 1935.

M. Tannery's appointment was regarded as the first step in the reform of the bank's administrative fabric by bringing it more under Government control.

The appointment did not please the Popular Front, who considered M. Tannery too close to the old regime, and he was succeeded by M. La Boyrie in 1936. —Reuter Special.

DEATH OF U.S. NAVY CHIEF

WASHINGTON, July 7. The Senate adjourned to-day as a mark of respect on learning of the death of Mr. Claude A. Swanson, the U.S. Naval Secretary. —Reuter.

Swanson's Successor

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W. P. A. WORKERS ON STRIKE

NEW YORK, July 7.—Some 100,000 employed in Works Progress Administration projects all over the United States have struck against the extension of their working hours, and some cases reductions of pay decreed by the new 1940 Federal Relief Act.

It is estimated that 25,000 have downed tools in New York alone, holding up building, road construction and other projects. —Reuter.

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China Fleet Club Function Displays Much Talent

Amateur talent of exceptionally high standard provided two hours of splendid entertainment at the China Fleet Club last night at a concert in aid of the dependants of the late Sgt. Farrier Gray, of the Royal Artillery.

The pity of it was that such good fun should have been enjoyed by such a small gathering; but as the concert is to be repeated to-night it may be expected that the many empty chairs will be filled.

Without a doubt, the piece de resistance of the evening were the crooning selections of the "Harmony Trio." These three members of the local garrison form a combination which compares very favourably with the performers of the type seen in some Hollywood "shorts." Hongkong should see and hear much more of them.

Young Audrey Onkenwell tapped-danced with a skill and grace that did justice to a professional, and little Jean Smee sang "I Like to Whistle" with a sweetness and charm that reminded one of the little girl who introduced the song to the world.

Mr. Gaston D'Aquino rendered two songs which were much appreciated, and Mr. Erik Nelson played and sang several amusing numbers. Miss Colleen Ng Quinn's delightful voice was also heard to advantage in several popular tunes.

Of the several comedians, B.Q.M.S. Dick evoked the greatest laughs with two songs entitled "Wheel Him In" and "Gloves in My Hand."

If old Father William, of Alice in Wonderland fame, was clever in balancing an act at the end of his nose, many last night thought that "Peanut Roach" beat him by a long way. He balanced a bicycle there!

Other odds and ends he balanced on that precarious perch were poles, chairs, knives and sticks.

A review of the concert would be quite incomplete without mention of the many "spot pound selections" by Ina Lorenzo and Toby Grey, all of which received unstinted appreciation.

During the evening Mr. Erik Nelson auctioned a spaniel pup for \$80 and prizes were given to holders of lucky programmes.

PARIS, July 7.

The President of the Syrian Republic has resigned. —Reuter.

AMATEUR CONCERT

Declining to give evidence in his defence, Lee Chan, 30, carpenter, was committed for trial by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy yesterday, on a charge of attempted murder of Yuen Tung, sea-man, in a restaurant in Spring Garden Lane, Wanchai, on May 25.

Lee was alleged to have attacked Yuen with an axe while the latter was having a meal with a woman, Chan Mui, in the Tsui Lok Restaurant. The motive was alleged to be jealousy on the part of Lee over the woman, who was living with Yuen as his wife.

Sub-Inspector W. N. Dackin was in charge of the case. Lee Kam-hung, waiter of the restaurant, said he was serving customers about 6 p.m. on May 25, when he heard a woman shout for help. He looked in the direction of the shout, and saw Lee running out of the shop, holding a chopper in his hand. The woman, Chan, ran after him, blowing a police whistle.

Questioned by his Worship, Lee said that none of the folks in the restaurant went to the aid of Yuen, who was bleeding from wounds. He explained that he was afraid.

The witness was rebuked for his failure to render help to the wounded man.

Evidence corroborating Lee's, that a woman's cry for help was heard, and the defendant was seen running out of the shop with a chopper in his hand, was given by several other folks of the restaurant.

Constable Chan Choi said he was on duty when he was attracted to Spring Garden Lane by the blowing of a police whistle. He saw Chan Mui, who informed him of what had occurred. As a result, he saw a man holding an axe walking in the direction of Cross Street. Going after the man (defendant) witness pulled out his revolver and ordered Lee to drop the axe. The request was complied with and Chan Mui then arrived and identified Lee as the assailant.

When they were standing in a group, Lee was alleged to have said, "I intended to cut him to death." Witness searched Lee and found a chisel in his jacket pocket. Lee was then taken back to the restaurant, where Yuen was seen to be in a serious condition. Witness telephoned for assistance, and Inspector Dackin and the ambulance arrived shortly after.

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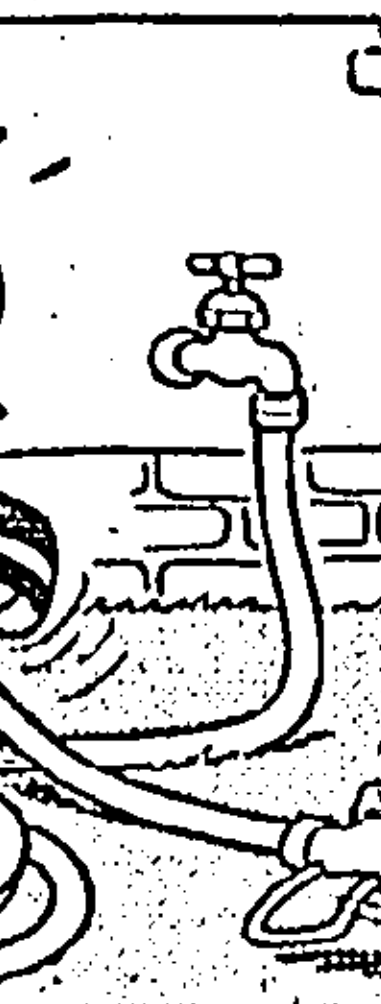
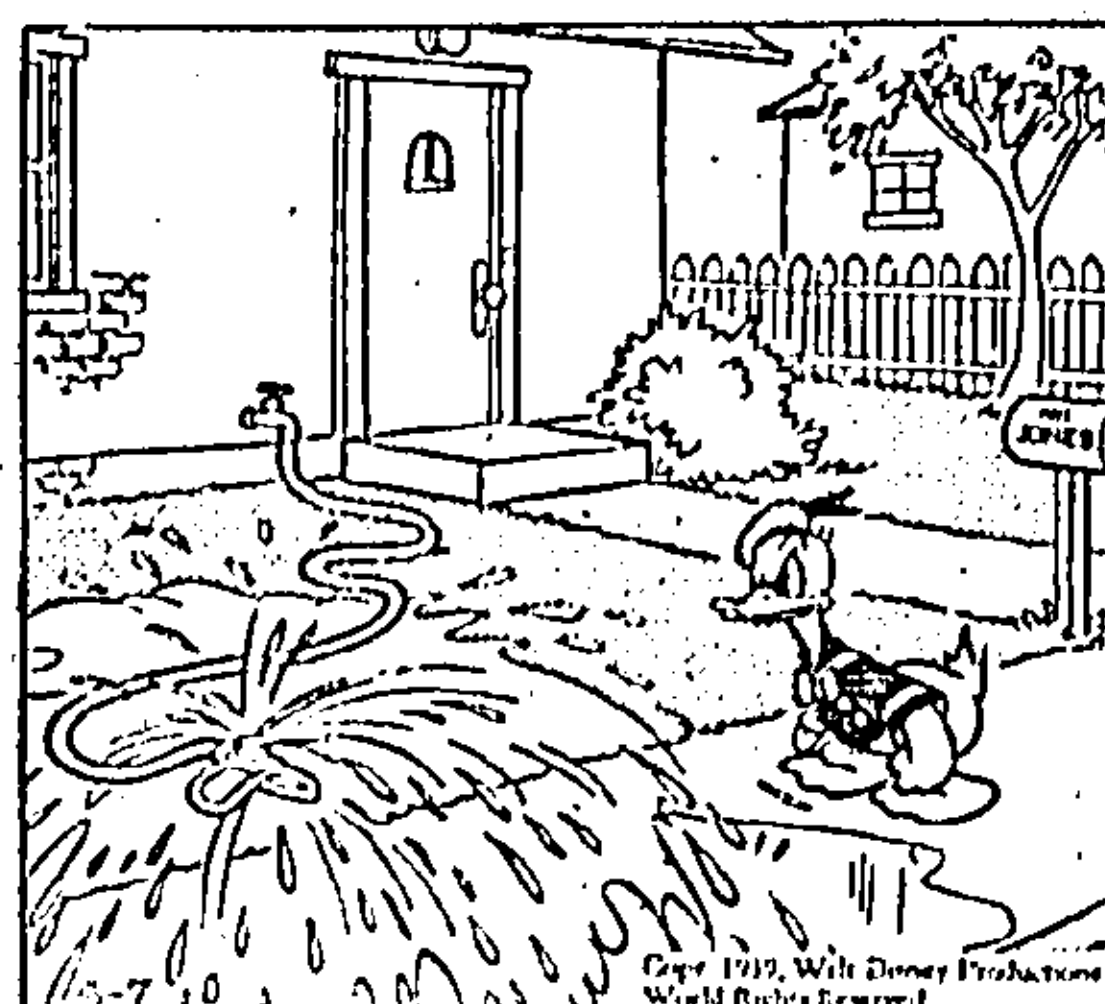
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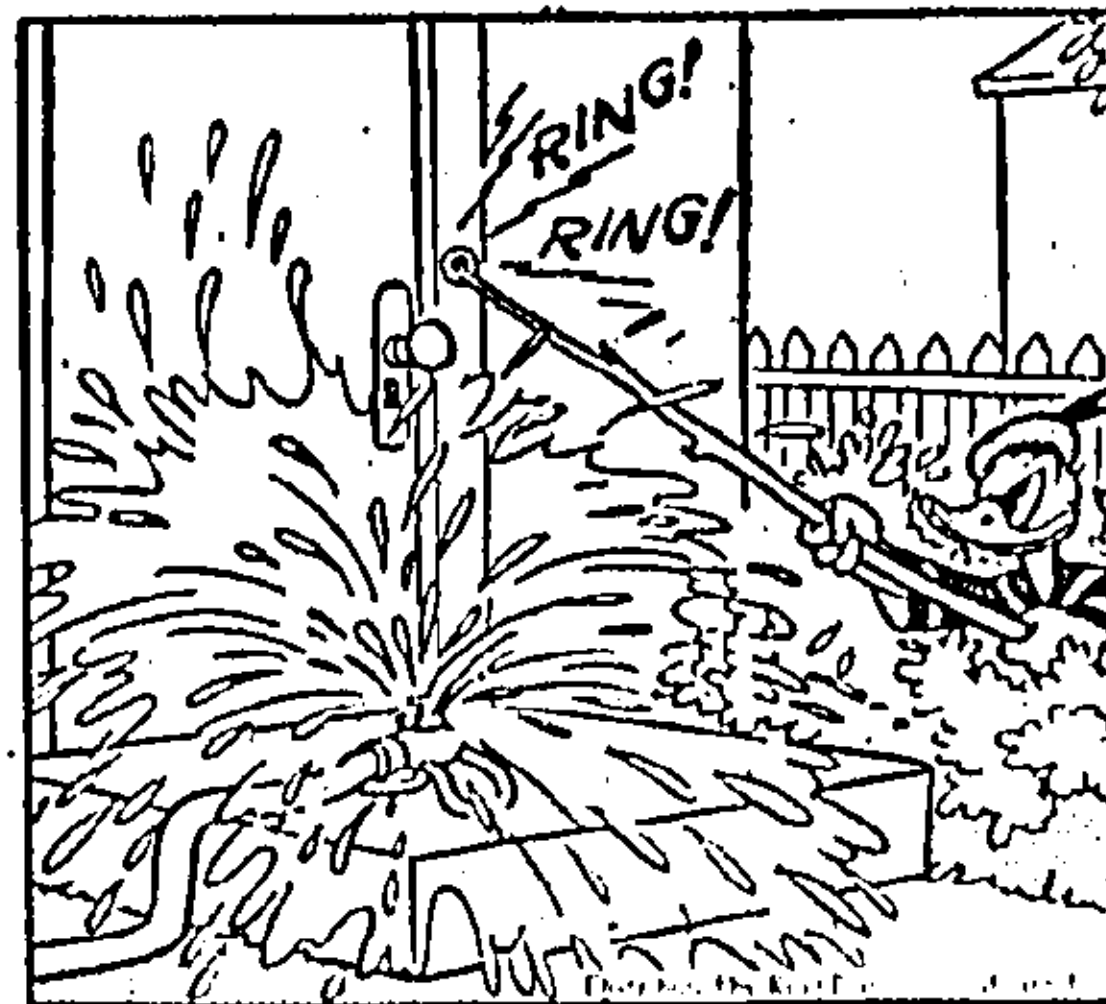
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HANKOW INCIDENT

French Troops Man Concession Gates

Shanghai, July 7. According to a French report from Hankow the Japanese and French forces were deployed into fighting formation for half an hour on the French Concession boundaries after the French authorities had denied the passage of a motor float in the anniversary parade which the Chinese and Japanese organised.

The report said that Annamite troops manned the closed gates in the Concession while over a hundred sailors landed and established machine-gun positions. The report said that the military authorities regulated for a settlement after the Japanese garrison had given emergency orders, whereupon the Japanese turned out facing the French positions in full campaign kit.—United Press.

Wuhan Ceremonies

Hankow, July 7. The "Double Seventh" Anniversary was commemorated by Chinese citizens in the Wuhan tri-city area today with varieties of undertakings. The Wuhan Special Municipal Government sponsored official ceremonies in the three cities.—Domet.

Live Fish On Highway

STOUGHTON, Wis. A motorist appeared at the Dane county highway department to report that fish were jumping up all over the pavement. Investigators confirmed his statement. Carp were being hauled to fields for fertilizer. One truck lost its tailboard—and part of its load of live fish.

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MR. PEPYS IN HONGKONG

29th.—Up betimes but only to find this day more humid, which I like not. To my office where I had the news-sheets and all very ill news. I find one General from America says that in ten years time Japan could not successfully attack the Philippines, they being then independent, and at all events I do get one good laugh for my reading. There is much talk of the States ceasing to buy silver, and it falls in all I believe well beyond a penny. And whether this shall affect our dollar here I know not, but being somewhat at a stand what to do, I do decide to compromise and so get me to the Banque, for I am ashamed to ask an Exchange Broker to handle my poor remittances. And there I did meekly ask for so and so many thirty-second for purchase by September, and anon comes word from the President that it is granted. And so I am certainly aware of my outgoings for the next four months, though of the income I am more in doubt. But Lord! in these days who can be sure of three or four months even? And this it is I do suppose that doth send down my share though in so safe a concern that it breaks then is all over in any case. After luncheon, when I did eat sandwiches in my office, heavy rain fell and the day did after improve. Dined at home and read until ten o'clock, and so to bed.

30th.—This day I do for the first time make trial of a new way of taking my luncheon for I do feel the cook of an Officers Mess upon the fifth floor of the office building to cook for me and this morning I write in a book which I will have and so be gets it. And I am minded it is a very good plan for many sandwiches are a weariness of the metabolism and to trudge daily to the Clubbe is a weariness of the flesh, and moreover doth I do not like to drink wine at mid-day which likes me not. But now I may have time to close my eyes for a few minutes afterwards. At a half after five to the Hospital to see Mistress Elizabeth and I had but a minute to give her a packet of buttered walnuts, for which she has an affection well-nigh gluttonous. But Lord! it seems they do disagree with her regimen and the "Sister" upon "Duty" doth ruthlessly take them from me, and I do reach the patient in a somewhat dazed condition, and when I tell her she doth high boil over with wrath. But who did eat those walnuts in the latter end I know not though I do have my suspicions. Having comforted Mistress Elizabeth as best I may, I regain my couch and so to the King's great private Tamar where the Commodore and his Lady give a rout. There I do drink a glass of wine very pleasantly and thence to the Clubbe where I do on dry clean garments and up the Peak to a route given by my near neighbours, on whom I had called and they very courteously did bid me. But when I did make my reverent to my hostess I did read in her eye that she deemed me a gate-crasher, and was in much distress until I found Mr. Calbeck who did present and vouch for me. And later we did laugh at it.

1st July.—This day a holiday that the Banquers may compute their tallies and collect the interest upon our overdrafts. But I must work. This day Mr. Nick came from Shanghai, and later I saw him at the Little North Mr. A. Jay and others, I being in company with Mistress M. A pleasant cool breeze all the evening but I am minded to go when there be no band, for jazz and the plashing of wavelets are not consonant. And (Lord's day). This day I had it in mind to late but Lord! at a half after seven I am waked by the telephone and later my he-child again wakes me to say the police have arrested our market-coolie on suspicion of the theft of a tin of Dutch Cleanser, an old old trick.

COOLIE BITTEN

Police Seek Dog Owned By European Woman

A European lady with a black and white pointer dog which bit a delivery chaise in the Dairy Farm premises at Nathan Road yesterday, is sought by the Police. The delivery coolie is Lau Man, 24, of Haiphong Road, and according to a Police report, he was bitten by the dog whilst standing in the butchery department of the Dairy Farm. The animal was on a lead held by a European lady, whose name is not known. Lau was treated at the Kowloon Hospital and efforts are now being made to locate the dog.

A Look Through The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

July 8, 1889. It is reported that during the sojourn of King Humbert of Italy in Berlin, an understanding was completed, providing for the co-operation of the English Navy with the fleets of the Triple Alliance in the event of war being made by the three Continental Powers against Russia and France.

The Floating Hotel Co., under the title of the Hongkong Marine, Limited, has been registered today, with a capital of \$75,000, in 15,000 shares of \$5 each. The prospectus will be publicly advertised in a day or so. In the meantime applications for shares will be received and forms for that purpose may be had, at the Company's office, 2 D'Almeida Street. The amount payable on application is \$1, the name on allotment.

The late change of the court dress by the Emperor of Germany back to the fashions of 1700 leads one of the leading social organs of London to consider the influence of the Prince of Wales on fashions, and the conclusion is that "Tummy's" influence is very small.

25 YEARS AGO

July 8, 1914. The Kaiser has started on his usual midsummer cruise around Norway. At Olympia, Freddie Welsh beat Willie Ritchie, the American boxer, in a fight for the World's Lightweight Championship, on points.

Reuter's correspondent at Toulon states that a torpedo boat destroyer sank a submarine during manoeuvres. The crew were saved. Notts beat Derbyshire at Nottingham by 162 runs. (Last year Notts won by an innings and 125 runs).

Sussex beat Somerset at Brighton by eight wickets. (Last year Sussex won by five wickets).

Kent beat Yorkshire at Sheffield by five wickets. (Last year the match was drawn).

Surrey beat Lancashire at Manchester (Huddersfield's benefit) by an innings and two runs. (Last year Surrey won by 108 runs).

Reuter's Berlin correspondent states that Germany has decided at the last minute to enter the Davis Lawn Tennis contest. (The war intervened.—Ed.).

The French Open Golf Championship at Le Touquet was won by Egar with a score of 298.

Varian was second with a score of 294, and Ray third with 295.

Thousands of people visited the cemetery at Birmingham to inspect the magnificent wreaths and pay their tribute to the late Mr. Chamberlain. The funeral took several hours to pass the grave.

China has agreed to an extension of the French concession in Shanghai. (Again there is no mention in the papers of the events following Serajevu).

A score of 298 was made by Egar, an unspectacular July 8, 1914, when sport was the principal subject of interest.—Ed.).

10 YEARS AGO

July 8, 1929. Sir...in view of the interesting advice put forth by the Medical Officer of Health, Dr. H. A. Fawcett, regarding the possibility of a typhoid epidemic, as reported in your paper yesterday, I feel certain the public generally would appreciate some information as to whether the Government now propose to provide free inoculation in consequence of the state of affairs they have brought upon us through lack of foresight in making provision some years ago against the possibility of a drought.

The majority of the public would undoubtedly take sound advice from the Medical Officer of Health, if free inoculation be provided, but if they have to pay for this, there are those who would not go to the expense while others could not in any case afford the high cost of T. A. B. inoculation. C. M.

The fastest standard fighting aeroplane in the world has been built by a British firm and undergone successful flight tests.

This machine, which is even faster than the Bristol "Bulldog" has a water-cooled engine, and at its normal working height it can exceed 200 miles an hour when flying level. This is in excess of the speed attained by any other standard fighting aeroplane.

The machine is designed to work at great heights, where speed is far more difficult to attain than when near the ground. The Schneider Trophy record, when they fly at 300 miles an hour, are skimming the surface of the water, and they carry no military equipment.

The new service machine, however, will operate at an altitude of 20,000 to 30,000 feet.

5 YEARS AGO

July 8, 1934. The long and sanguinary offensive by Paraguayan troops in the southern sector of the Gran Chaco front is within an ace of accomplishing its objective.

Chungking Raids Described

Chungking, July 7. Bombing was concentrated on the tip of the peninsula, where the Kialing and Yangtze rivers meet. Demolitions smashed windows and doors and cracked ceilings, tearing down the plastering of a business agency, including the United Press office.

Most foreigners had cleared out their belongings due to fear of a fire. However a modern Chinese fire-boat was rushed to the scene and after an hour's battle succeeded in quenching the flames.

The fire-bomb was mostly by the heavy brick wall of a small Buddhist temple, which proved its efficacy in 1931 when it saved the lower end of the city from one of the most destructive blazes in the city's history.

The fire-boat was once the Szechwan Governor's "navy" and has since been converted into a modern fire fighting apparatus.

Bombs struck Lungmenhuo on the south bank of the Yangtze, where most of Chungking's foreign colony moved on May 4. Kiangpei, across from Kialing from Chungking, was also struck, but evidently there was only slight damage.

Very light bombs were used, probably of 50 pounds, for which reason the area covered was very large. However casualties were very few. The correspondent did not see more than 10.

Foreign aviators told the correspondent that the bombers appeared to be both of old and new types of Savoia bombers. They said that the new ones were evidently powered by Fiat engines and that the flying time between Wanhsein and Chungking was only 20 minutes, which is half of the former flying time, indicating that the new planes were used.

Despite heavy clouds which hid the moon the bombers easily found the city on their third trip, but later the groups circled the city several times.

Chinese searchlights were unable to find the planes, but anti-aircraft guns fired wildly in the hope of getting some hits.—United Press.

Japanese Claims

Tokyo, July 7. Since the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese conflict on July 7, 1937, up to July 5, this year, the Japanese Army Air Forces have shot down 22 hostile aircraft and damaged 100 on the ground in China and the Manchou-Outer Mongolia Frontier, the Army Department of the Imperial Headquarters announced yesterday.

During the first year of the China incident, 475 hostile planes were shot down or destroyed on the ground, while during the second year 110 planes were brought down or damaged on the ground.

Of these, 393 represents Soviet or Outer Mongol aircraft which were shot down or damaged on the ground near the Manchukuo-Outer Mongolia border.—Domet.

According to the staff headquarters of the Paraguayan Army.

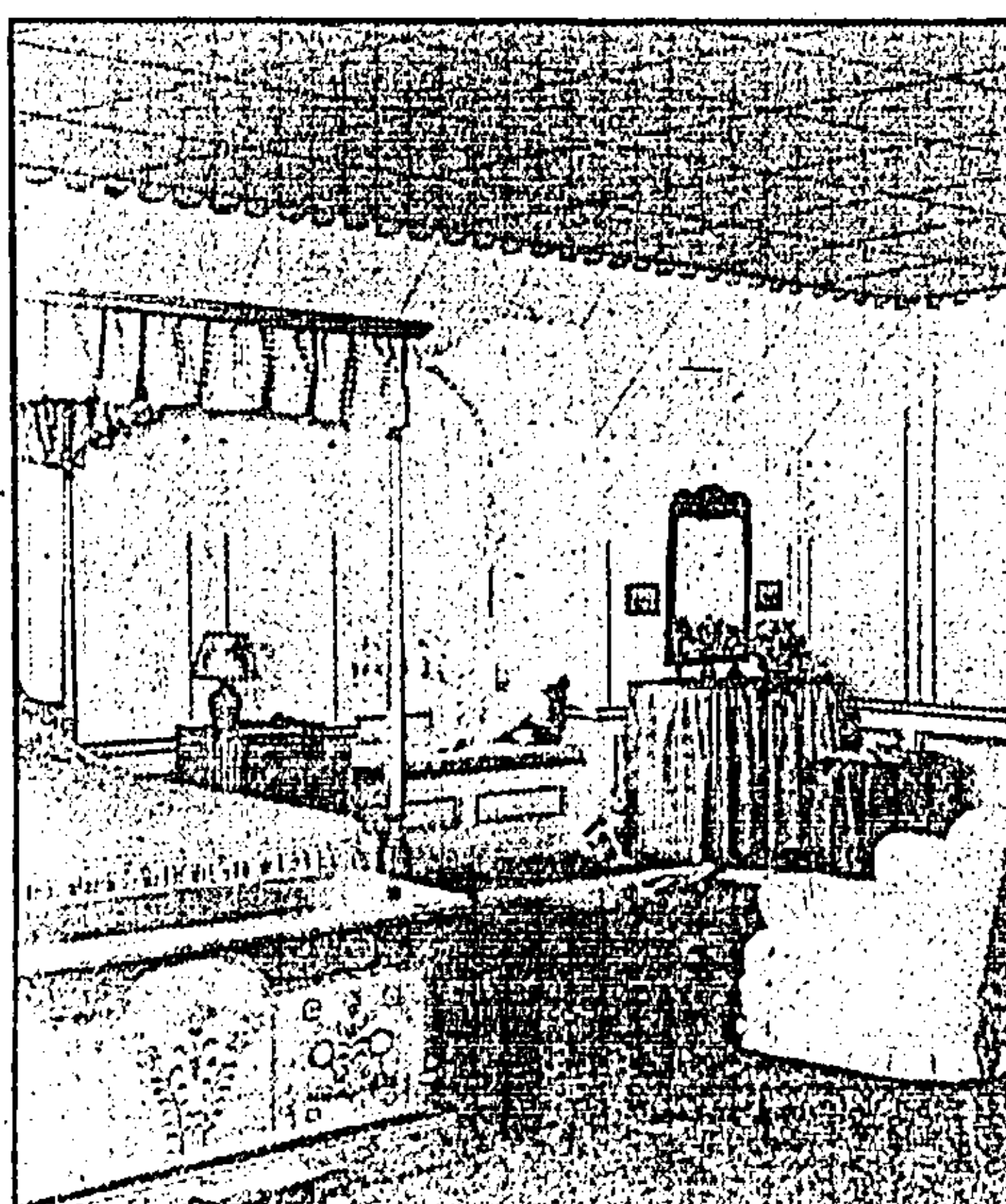
The War Office issued an official communique in London today announcing that the Paraguayan troops have captured the outer ring of fortifications of Fort Ballivan.

The Council of Priests, Ministers and Rabbis, representing two million members of the Non-Secular League of Decey, met today to plan their attack on immoral movies and the exhibitors of immoral films. It is reported that as a result of boycotts instigated by the League, attendance at cinemas has decreased by twelve per cent. in six weeks.

Despite the very definite declaration by Mr. Anthony Eden a few days ago that Britain has already gone so far as she can go in the direction of territorial security on the Continent, the visit of Mr. Barthou to London is being held upon as indicating the possibility of a new and wider Anglo-French understanding. Mr. Eden made it perfectly clear in his speech that while Britain stands by the Locarno Treaty, she has no intention of extending her commitments thereunder to other parts of the Continent.

It is not entering into any new alliances whatsoever. The British view on the question of guarantee and security ought to be well known by this time. Britain's traditional aversion to accept precisely defined commitments on the Continent must always remain a guiding motive of policy for a people which is conscious of being a world power as well as a European power.

CELOTEX Personality in Walls and Ceilings



The walls and ceiling of this bedroom are finished with cane fibre insulating board in a design that gives the entire room an individual, personalized charm.

By JANET ALLEN

Nearly every housewife wants her home to be more than merely attractive. She wants it to be just a little different, enough at least to express her personal tastes and give her dwelling a character of its own.

To achieve such individuality once was expensive because it not only involved furniture, rugs and draperies but walls and ceilings as well. However, in the past few years architects and interior decorators have developed several methods of personalizing walls and ceilings without spending a great deal of money.

They have discovered, for example, that one of the simplest, most effective ways to individualize a room or an entire house is to use Celotex cane fibre insulating board for interior finish.

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In either case, the use of insulating board for interior finish has the additional advantages of making a dwelling warmer in winter and cooler in summer, according to architects, because it retards the passage of heat three times as well as wood, nine times better than plaster board and fifteen times better than brick. This also means lower fuel bills in winter, for insulating board prevents the escape of heat extensively generated artificial heat through walls and roof.

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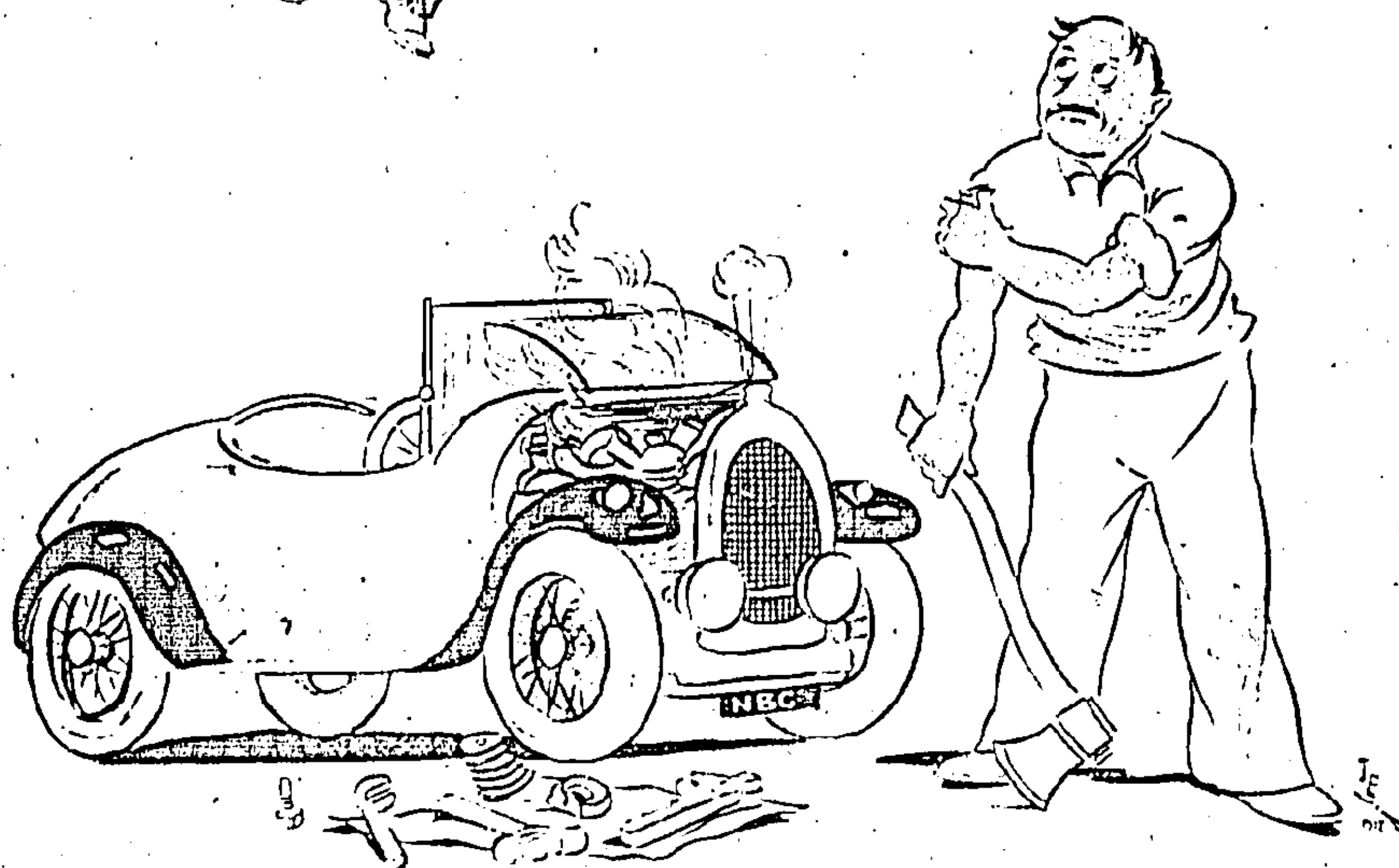
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FATHER AND SON LEND NATION £200,000

TWO LANCASHIRE business men—father and son—have lent £200,000 to the Government free of interest for two years.

The father, Mr. William Parkinson, of Blackpool, former managing director of Sir Lindsay Parkinson and Co., contractors, explained recently that the gesture was a "recognition of the fact that Mr. Chamberlain is the finest Prime Minister the country has ever had."

His son, Mr. A. E. Parkinson, who lives in Porchester-terrace, W., and is the present head of the firm, said:

"It was all very simple. My father suggested the loan the last time I was in Blackpool. The money is his and mine and has nothing to do with the firm."

"It was lying in the bank, so my father suggested we should lend it to the Government as a patriotic gesture from Lancashire."

"We have made no stipulations as to how the Government should use it, but I expect the Treasury will apply it to restoring Government stock."

"I know £200,000 won't go so far, but perhaps other people will come forward with free loans or gifts."

"My father wrote to the Chancellor of the Exchequer making the offer and it was accepted, so one day last week I made out a cheque for £200,000 to my father and posted it to him. He merely endorsed it on the back and forwarded it to the Chancellor with a short covering note. It has all been done by post, we have neither of us seen the Chancellor."

CASHED ALREADY
"The Treasury got the cheque this morning and it has been cashed already, because this afternoon any bank manager rang me up to ask if it was all right."

"The Chancellor has sent my father a letter."

Sir Lindsay Parkinson and Co. are one of the biggest contracting firms in the country. In the last ten years they have carried out Government contracts valued at £15,000,000, including the £7,000,000 munition factory at Euxton, Lancashire.

Mr. William Parkinson is 64 and his son is 40.

Emergency Aid Nationalized

SYDNEY, N. S. W.
A National Emergency Service for the protection of the public in major calamities such as air raids, bush fires and floods is being organized by New South Wales. It will consist of a co-ordination of the services of the Red Cross, police, fire brigades, ambulances, transportation and various private organizations. The first move will be the creation of a trained corps of 50,000 volunteer workers.

Intelligence Test

WHITEHAL'S new intelligence test to defeat the crammer entrant for its highest posts is a conglomerate of questions on contemporary subjects, social, political, economic and scientific.

The answers are not to be found in any text books. Newspapers are the best help. Allied to the necessary brains.

In the latest examination candidates even had to know about spiritualism. Here is one of the questions asked:

What evidence would you require to convince you of the genuineness of such spiritualistic phenomena as clairvoyance, telepathy and spirit messages?

ABOUT INSECTS—AND MUSIC
Some of the other posers were: Are political offences essentially different from other offences? Should political offenders be punished, and, if so, how?

Insects are the chief rivals of the human race in the exploitation of plants. Give examples, and mention some of the weapons or strategy used by man in his struggle with the insect class.

Discuss the relation of commercial advertising to social welfare. To what extent is a "revolt against reason" discernible in art at the present day?

How do you account for the greater attention now paid in this country to Bach and Mozart and the comparative decline of Wagner?

Explain the principles of one method of direct colour photography or of television. No candidate can dodge these questions. The paper is compulsory.



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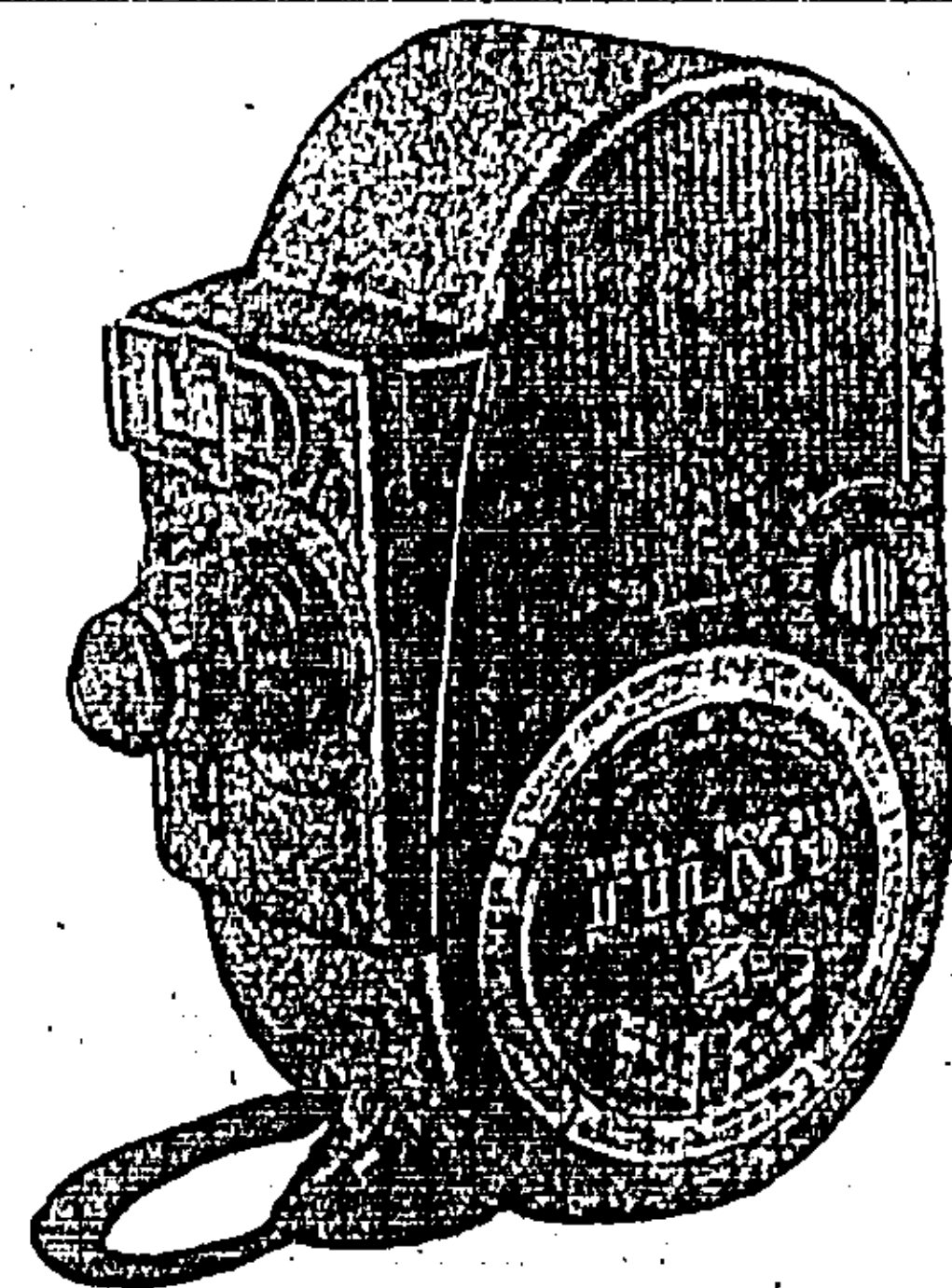
Termites are working just as hard here as is the Federal House Administration to bring a return of prosperity by stimulating building. The Orinda school district last year voted a \$30,000 bond issue for a school house addition. This year it will vote on a \$35,000 bond issue to replace the original school structure which the termites have undermined.

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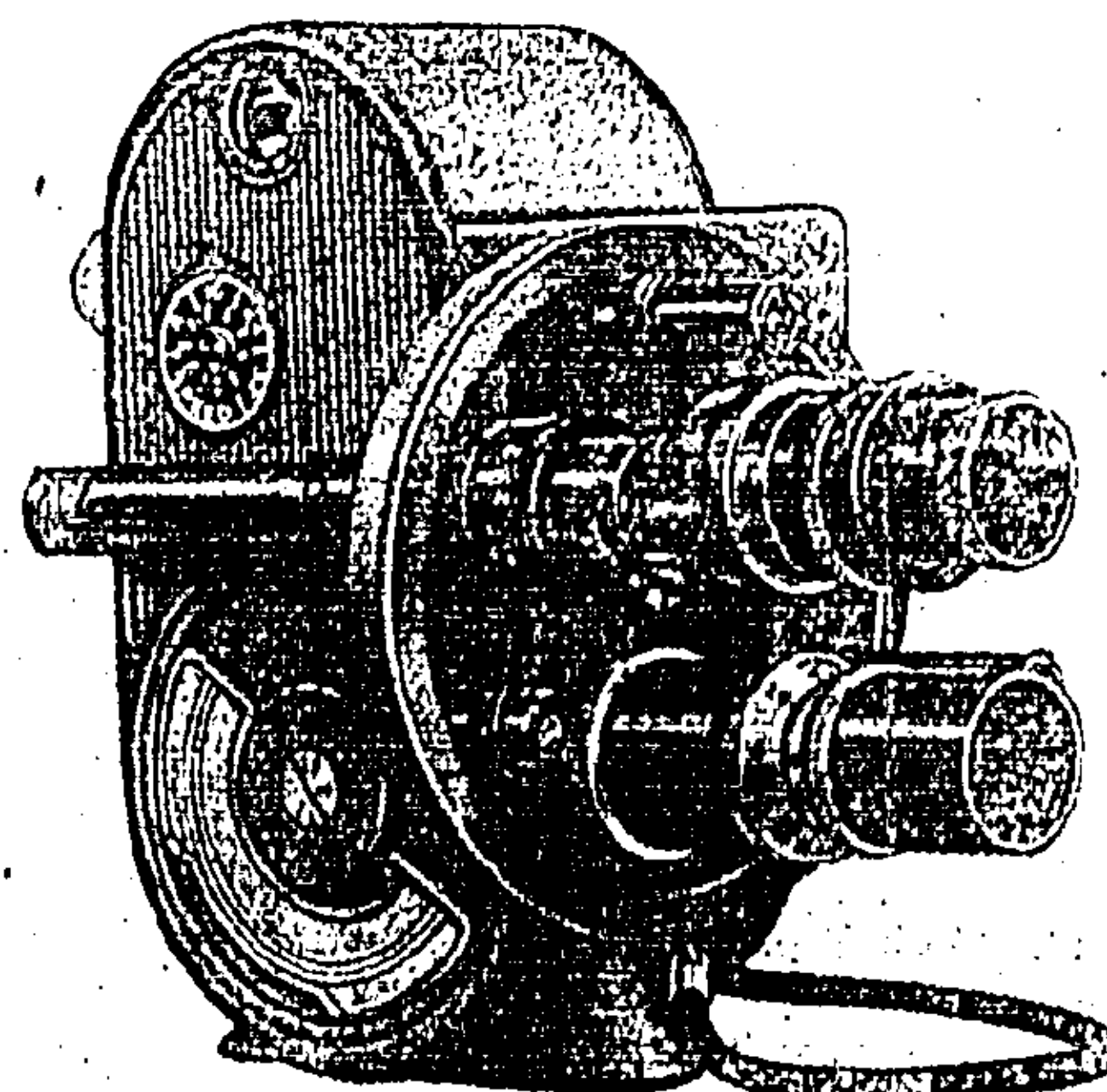
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Rich Solicitor's Death Leap

Vain Chase By Doctor

A DOCTOR'S vain dash by car to prevent the suicide of a patient, a wealthy young solicitor, who leaped to death over a cliff, was described at a Bridlington Inquest recently.

The patient, who was stated by the doctor to be "probably" worth from £500,000 to £1,500,000, was Edwin Williamson Hewitt, aged 32. Hewitt, who was in practice on his own account in Hull, was a nephew of the late Mr. T. W. G. Hewitt, of the firm of Hewitt Bros., brewers, of Grimsby.

Dr. Michael Gaffney, who gave evidence of identification, said he had attended Hewitt professionally. He was suffering from a nervous breakdown.

VERY EXCITED

"On Tuesday morning," Dr. Gaffney said, "he seemed reasonable, but on Tuesday evening at 6.15 I was called to him by telephone and found him very excited and distressed. I tried to pacify him."

"I took his wife into an adjoining room to discuss the situation and to make arrangements for having him moved to an institution, which had actually been decided upon."

"As we left the room we looked through a window and saw that he was in a car."

"He backed it across the road and then drove as fast as he could. I turned my car round and followed him to Sewerby, where we lost sight of him."

"We went in the direction of Flamborough."

LOST HIM

"We made inquiries and found that no one driving a car had passed."

"I returned to his house and phoned the police, and later was told that a man had jumped over the cliff at Sewerby."

Dr. Gaffney said he went down to the beach and found Hewitt there. He had a broken back and probably a fractured skull.

Hewitt died about two hours after admission to hospital.

Edward Gurnell, of Oleate, Sewerby Cliff, said he was in the front of

A.R.P. WARNING IN RHYME

RHYMES for Air Raids, No. 1, has been composed by Sir John Anderson's A.R.P. experts to teach the public the meaning of the warning signals before the first large-scale daylight air-raid rehearsal in Chelsea.

The rhyme is:

Wavering Sound,
Go to Ground
Steady Blast
"Raiders Passed."
If Rattles you Hear,
Gas you must Fear,
But if Handbells you hear—
Then "All is Clear."

It is important to note that "Raiders Passed" does not mean "All Clear" if there is gas about.

Sir John Anderson and 200 A.R.P. officers from the provinces were at the Chelsea experiment.

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At one shelter point it was assumed that panic had broken out and emergency police were rushed to the scene.

his house when he saw a car racing down the road to the cliff.

"I anticipated an accident," he said, "and saw the car crash into a fence."

"A man got out. He appeared to turn off the engine and close the car door. He ran about 70 yards across a field and disappeared. My wife said he dived over."

A verdict that Hewitt took his life when his mind was unsound was returned.



Here is Thomas H. Smith, 27, of Los Angeles just before taking off in his "Baby Clipper" plane from Old Orchard Beach, Me., for his transoceanic solo flight. His plane weighed 670 pounds.

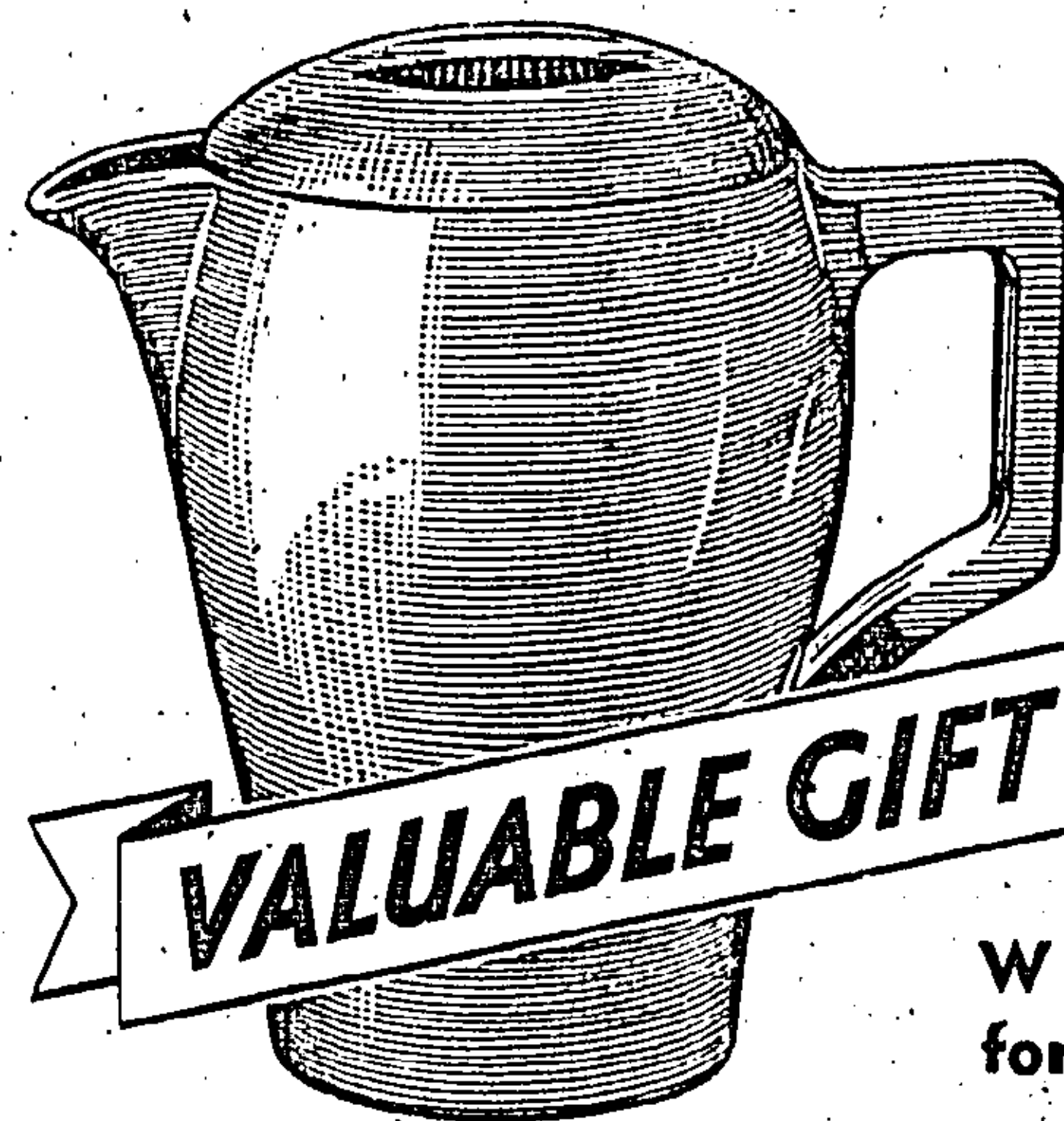
Acting Bee For Television

The B.B.C. held a televised Acting Bee at Alexandra Palace recently before a distinguished "Jury."

Six actors and actresses, under the direction of television producer Miss Mary Adams, set the problems by acting scenes from history, literature and folk-lore. The "Jury" were called upon to identify the characters portrayed.

The dress of the actor or actress, the words spoken, the musical accompaniment and scenery provided clues.

The "Jury" were: Miss B. A. Clough, a former principal of Newnham College, Cambridge; Sir Denison Ross, Oriental scholar; Sir Hugh Walpole, novelist; Miss Susan Lawrence, former Parliamentary Secretary to the Labour Government; Miss Toby Henderson and Mr. David Hindley-Smith, undergraduates.



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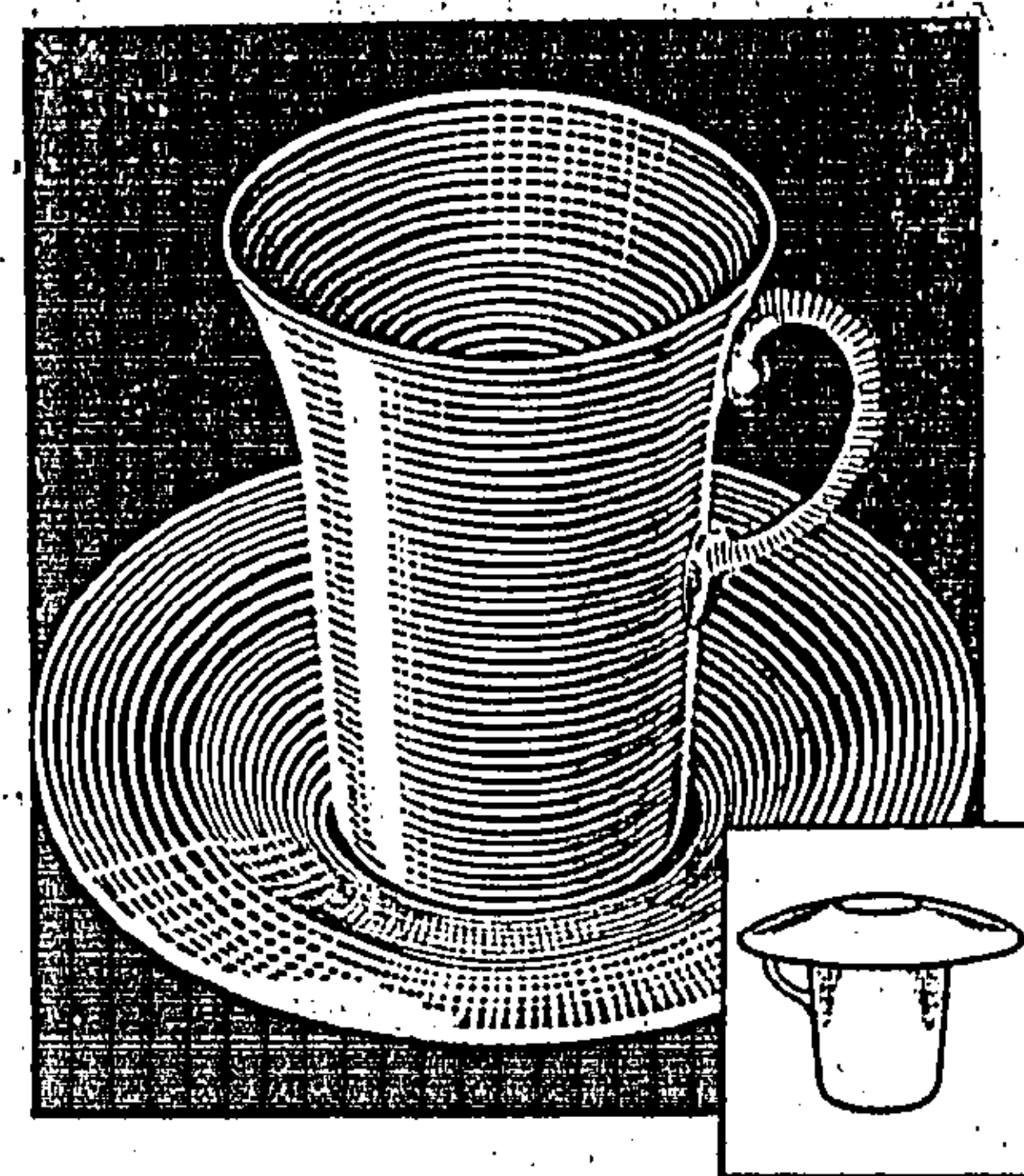
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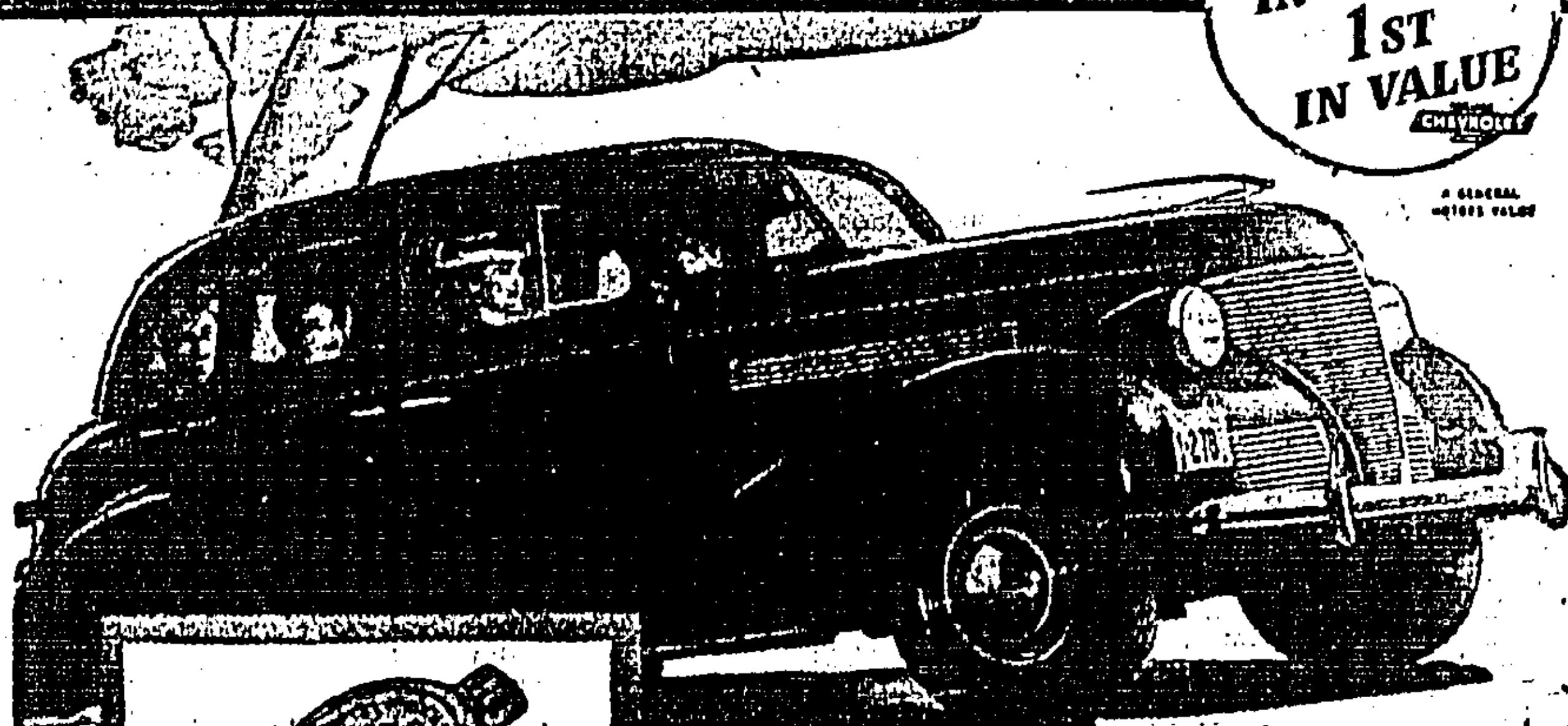
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Munich In China

THERE should be no grounds for misapprehension in Germany about the meaning of the public speeches made since last week by the Premier, Lord Halifax, Mr. Winston Churchill, Mr. Anthony Eden and other British statesmen.

Nothing can be plainer, in the language that has been employed, than that the unalterable resolve of the British Government and of the British people is to resist aggression and to defend the vital interests alike of our Empire and of the countries associated with our Motherland in the peace from which the Government has taken the initiative in creating.

Upon this resolve every section of public opinion in the British Empire is so absolutely united that any Government which ignored it or deviated from it would court instant disaster.

Mr. Anthony Eden expressed the pith of the matter yesterday when, at Stratford-on-Avon, he said "either all those who enjoy responsibility of power will understand that the days of smash and grab in Europe are over, and will join to negotiate some system of international order, or Europe will be plunged into war, by the next act of aggression." That statement, although uttered by a statesman without office, is an announcement of British policy already enunciated by responsible Ministers.

No one inside or outside the Government any longer believes that peace can be bought by one-sided concession. It is all too plain that yielding to threats of force, so far from securing any one against aggression, must only hasten the day when the victims will find themselves with all the strategic vantage points already in the hands of the aggressors. That is the situation which Britain is determined to avoid in Europe.

Nevertheless, it is a situation which is arising in the Far East and must, sooner or later, be faced in this part of the world. Just as supine concession at Godesberg and Munich, and earlier in Abyssinia and in Spain, brought about the present situation in Europe, so concessions to Japan in the Far East are bringing about a situation in China inimical to our interests in the Far East.

There is, in the Tokyo negotiations concerning next week, a danger that diplomacy may in a few hours fritter away the fruits of a century of painstaking Western development. The Japanese, we are informed, are entering the negotiation in the spirit that they are prepared to yield nothing, and will walk out unless their demands are acceded to. If this represents the official Japanese attitude, it would be better that Britain abandoned negotiation, for she immediately enters the conference room at this

Man in Tientsin

being a survey of the life and circumstances of Mr. Parker, imaginary resident in the British Concession

OUR Mr. Parker is an imaginary man living in the British Concession at Tientsin, you might have a look at this Mr. Parker. Wars have been fought for less.

Our Mr. Parker comes out to the Far East to do a humdrum job with, say, the Asiatic Petroleum Co., the British American Tobacco Co., or Imperial Chemical Industries.

It's not quite like going into the City. First, young Mr. Parker goes to school, a school specially set up to give him a rapid run through the mysteries of the Chinese language. Even when that's over he will be expected to do a little homework on that subject with a private teacher.

With him at school he will find men training for consular posts, British officers mugging-up a language course, and missionaries learning the language before going into the interior.

Now things begin to get interesting for our Mr. Parker. As he becomes proficient in Chinese he is taken into his firm's offices on a part-time basis, and then he begins to learn that the Chinese are indeed a peculiar people.

He will find that business is very different from back home. It means endless discussion, interminable tea-drinking, and not a little bribery and corruption.

For such bribery is not shocking to the commercial conscience of the Chinese, but a natural business asset, and a necessary one.

Now, being the Englishman very much abroad, our Mr. Parker will have been put up at the Tientsin Club for membership for the Tientsin Race Club, the Tientsin Country Club, and, if he wishes, the Tientsin Golf Club.

To the club, then, he goes at mid-day to talk politics and business, to make appointments, and to drink whatever he finds suits his constitution and his purse.

Not being very rich, he will drink the locally brewed beer, for the import duty on whisky is high.

At the Race Club, besides racing, our Mr. Parker may play polo, for in China, where a pony costs about £6 to £10, it's not a very expensive game.

Next door to the polo ground is the Country Club, a palatial building with some 1,500 members, where tennis, squash, badminton, bowls, and swimming are provided, all at reasonable prices.

The tennis subscription for example, will cost Mr. Parker about £1 for the season, with the use of tennis balls, while the swimming will be even cheaper. And the season is for a full six months from April to October.

A beautiful dance floor with an excellent Filipino orchestra is one of the charms of the Country Club, while in the gardens of an evening lamp-lit tables under the starry skies afford every opportunity for a quiet dinner with a charming companion.

Japs Turn Golf Club Into Aerodrome

THE Golf Club was another popular resort until the Japanese military occupied it and turned it into an aerodrome, despite the protests of the foreign interests concerned.

Probably our Mr. Parker will have spent his first few weeks as an inmate of a mess run by the bachelors of his firm, but if he prefers it or if he is married he will be on the lookout for a house in either the British or the French Concession.

He will prefer the former because the social life of the city centres more there, while the French area is more occupied with offices.

Having found his house, he will then engage a "boy" or Chinese major-domo who will be in charge of his domestic arrangements.

The "boy" will engage a cook, a coolie to clean up the house or flat, an amah to do the washing and mending, and a rickshaw puller to convey his master to and from his office or other destinations.

Food \$2 A Month Per Head

SO living like a lord, this will cost about £3 10s. a month all told; the rent of the house may be anything from £3 to £10 a month.

Disadvantage: that concession must be one-sided.

The Tientsin issue is as important to British interests in the Far East as is the Danzig issue to the interests of civilisation in the Western world. We have already permitted Japan liberties of far-reaching significance. To permit further encroachment on our rights is merely to invite new and more expensive demands.

Tientsin must now be the Munich of the Far East.

—by— LAWRENCE IMPEY

month according to size, and food will run from £2 per month per head upwards. The Chinese staff are responsible for their own food and clothing.

The drink bill will be the major item of expenditure, as cocktail parties and such-like entertainments are very popular with the foreign communities, made up of Britons, Americans, Frenchmen, Italians, Germans, Chinese, and—Japanese.

In the Concession Mr. Parker will find that life in many ways resembles that in an English town, for the control of the area is in the hands of a British Municipal Council, with some co-opted Chinese members.

Functioning side by side with this council and its British police force, headed by an ex-official from Scotland Yard, is the British Consulate General.

And on the military side of the Concession is the British Brigade commanding the area of North China. He has under him one battalion of troops, at the moment the Durhams, one company of which is always detached for duty in Peking as guard to the Embassy.

When His Wife Goes Shopping

DOWN the main street of Tientsin, Victoria-road, our Mr. Parker will do the bulk of his shopping, if he favours foreign establishments, although in the Chinese shops in the lesser streets he will find an equally good selection of foreign goods for sale.

And if he is married his wife will find there an enormous choice of Chinese silks and Japanese cotton goods competing with British imports at cut prices.

But at the moment the whole situation is altered, for barricades round the Concession and Japanese bayonets at the few points of egress have ended trade.

The Chinese Maritime Customs are under Japanese control, and are compelled to place every obstacle in the way of foreign trade, whether import or export.

So that our Mr. Parker will be getting somewhat anxious as to the security of his job if the economic pressure on his firm continues for any great length of time.

Chaos—By The No. 2 Censor

NOW the Japanese censorship of his letters arriving via the Chinese Post Office will be annoying him also. For not only do many letters fail to reach their destination, even when registered, but other peculiar fates may befall them.

One day, for example, the No. 2 Japanese censor reached the office first and, full of zeal, opened a bag and sorted the letters into one pile and the envelopes into another.

His chief duly arrived and passed the mail as fit for human consumption, whereupon our zealous official returned the letters to the envelopes in whatever order they came to his hand.

Members of the club spent a delirious half hour that day going round with letters in hand and asking their best friends if their cognomen was "Darling Marmie" or whether they were going to keep the appointment at six to-morrow "as Jack is going to the club."

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"Of course she'd be mad, telling her she takes an 8! You gotta spar around with a size 4 a while, then squeeze on a 6 and be done with it!"

Mr. —, Craftsman

MORE than eighty summers, and a lesser number of winters have scorched and wind-bitten that now silvered, nobly-shaped head.

A frail and fragile old figure, the fleshless frame bent, not so much with the weight of more than man's allotted span, but rather with the dire necessity of supporting an arduous childhood and youth, of maintaining, unrobust of constitution as he is, a niche for himself and his in maturity; of bracing his kindly nature against useless brooding sorrow in the loss of all kith and kin.

A gallant old man, dapper and bright, with no suggestion of sickness or the doddering self-pity of "crabbed age".

IN ONE of the Colony's older, and comfortable houses, he may be found. Light, filtering through surrounding banyans, casts soothing greenish light upon the lofty room.

He lives among the tools and appurtenances of his trade, and these inanimate things are tried and cherished friends.

A black silk skull-cap surmounts his silver, silky head; his world-worn length of frame void of burdening flesh; the delicate, sensitive fingers of the musician he might have been; the aquiline nose, the depth of forehead, the open, frank regard of the keen and blue-grey eye give the true index to the man himself.

A survival of the fast dying-out handicraftsman, proud of the work of his hands, instigated by a quick intelligence and an ever-searching brain.

The massive, littered work-table would break the heart, had not the women of his tribe all passed beyond.

But a fascinating litter it is, at least to my untidy mind. Slender silver wires, incredibly supple leathers, tiny nails and diminutive screws, mysterious disembodied electrical equipment, teak, German-silver, delicate tools, cigarettes, books, papers, patent medicines (his one weakness) strew the polished, baize-covered table.

MR. ...'s ideas are sound. That is, they coincide with mine. In spite of his years, there is not the slightest hint of ga-ga-ism.

Many a youngster might envy the possession of a mind as alert and discriminating; as versatile. We humbly agree upon the certainty of the eventual—though much protracted—downfall of national gangsterism; upon the superiority of the

blackbird's note; dilate upon our common, plebeian yearning for a crisp-grilled, mild-cured blatter; snuff together in retrospect the distinctive aroma of the damp Kentish woods as we concoct in the tidy little kitchen our mutually esteemed afternoon tea of anchovy toast.

His kitchen reveals his one unmanly trait; it must be of hospital cleanliness.

A survival of unswerving integrity and meticulous honesty in a degenerating world is this kind, modest and gentle old man.

Upon occasion we clash, and his disagreement manifests itself merely in a dignified and, I fear, pained silence; this when I venturesomely advise a more worldly outlook upon this very mundane field of to-day.

Essentially non-commercial as is Mr. ...

I endeavour to suggest a necessarily more belligerent attitude towards backsliders; to hint that he rightfully assert himself.

Maybe the response is a gently worded and toned excuse in extenuation of the delinquent chess-pieces, but more likely a clam-like, though unoffended silence, he awaiting the moment when I shall have realized the utter futility of my remonstrances.

ALONE, a constitution never robust naturally on the decline; but slightly endowed with this world's goods by very reason of his nature. Mr. ... gazes calmly into the future, whether that future is to be here or beyond, he is equally prepared and entirely undismayed.

Content with life, and equally content to envisage its relinquishment. He would seem to be unaffected by the apprehensive shrinking which troubles the lesser mortal. He can discuss the probability of his own disintegration with an aloof dispassion which at times amuses, always impresses, and often tugs at the heart.

This enviable and benevolent calm in a world which has treated him none too gently, in a world full to overflowing with anxiety and care may be accounted for partly in that he loves his tasks; has never looked upon them from an essentially mundane standpoint.

Has he imbued his instruments with his own peace and quiescence, and do they express the harmonious, unperturbed and undistressed accord of this modest, gentle old man? Or have their soothing, or inspiring qualities through lifelong association altered into his being and the inanimate influenced, so benignantly the animate?

YOU WILL not recognise this sketch, yet, he has been among us for close on thirty years; lives and works within a stone's throw of commercial din.

If and when you attend Divine Service; if the mellow, noble swell of the Great Diapason bids hope arise, then listen to a troubled mind, fills with gratitude for gifts and mercies.

If the poignant sweetness of the muted Dulciana soothes and comforts, then the chances are that Mr. ... is your direct and unknown benefactor; that those fragile, sensitive artist's hands have fashioned, with all the skill acquired in a life-time's apprenticeship and without "accursed machinery" that lordly, gracious instrument of infinite variety.

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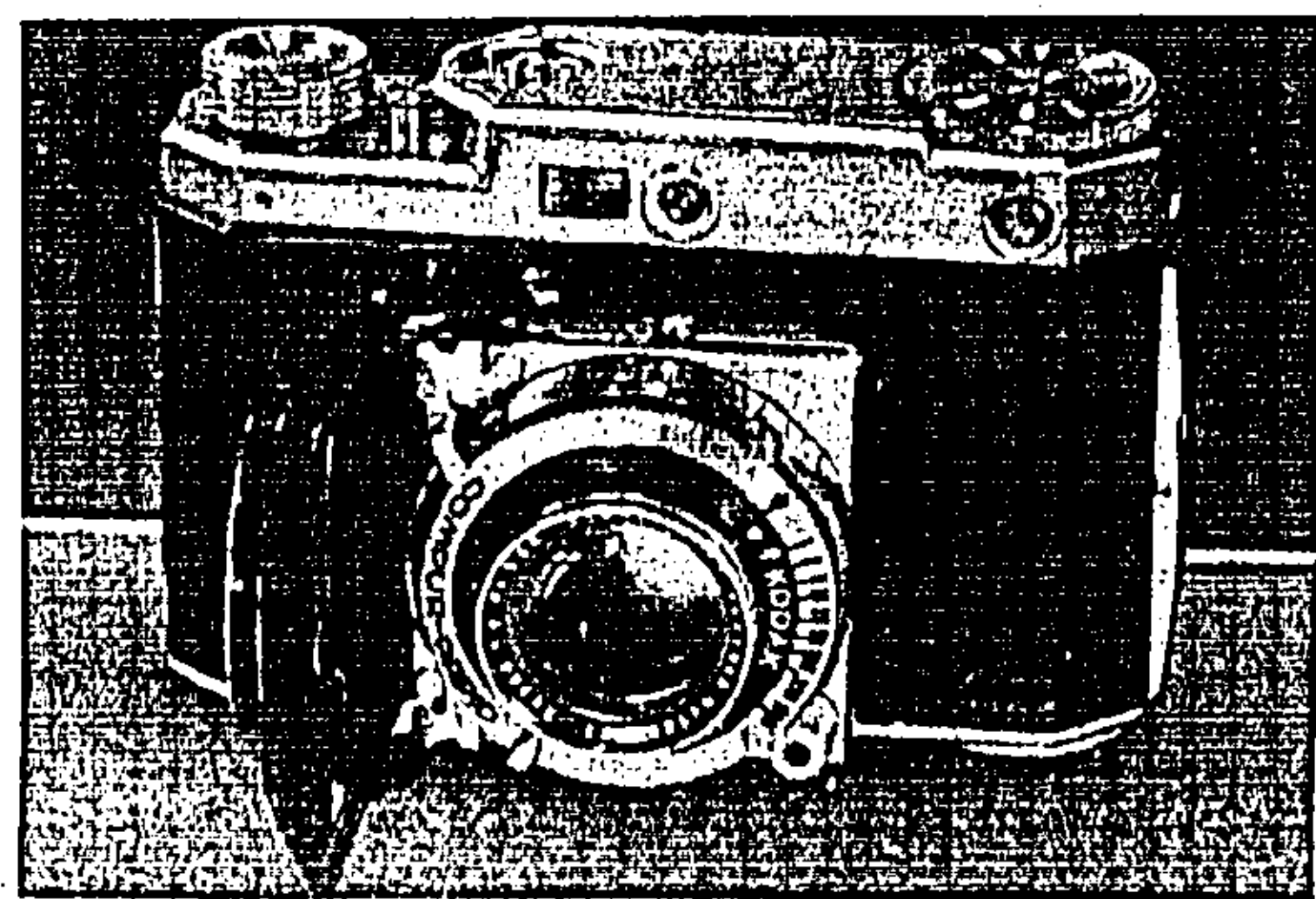


MRS. ERNE FREEDLANDER photographed with some of her excellent water-colours which were exhibited recently at the Pan-American Airways Offices. A group of interesting woodcuts was also included in the exhibition.—Staff Photographer.

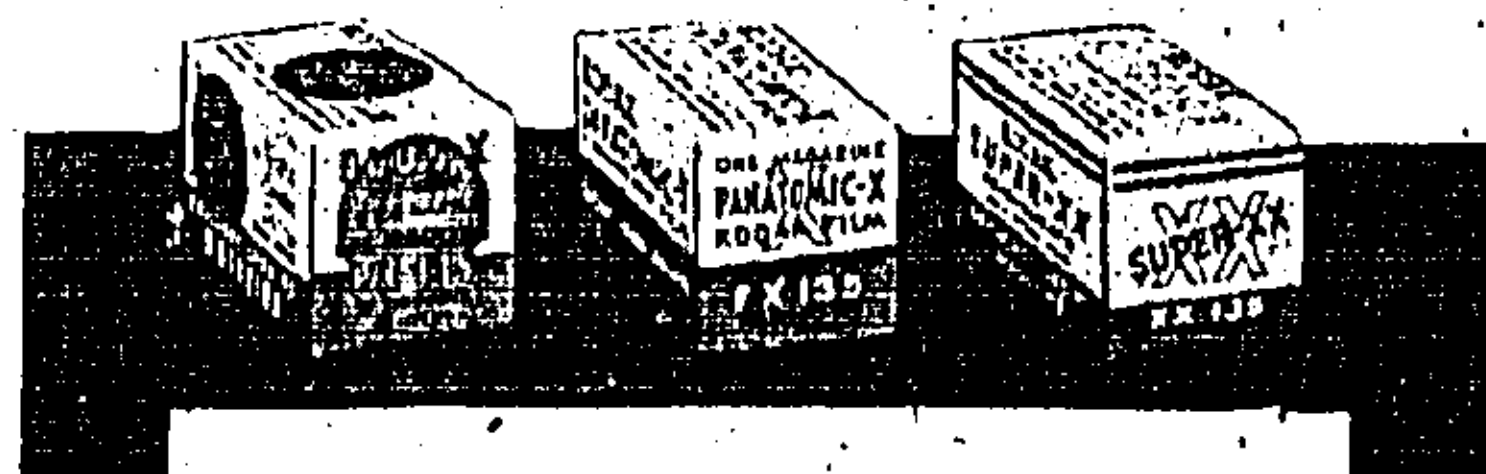


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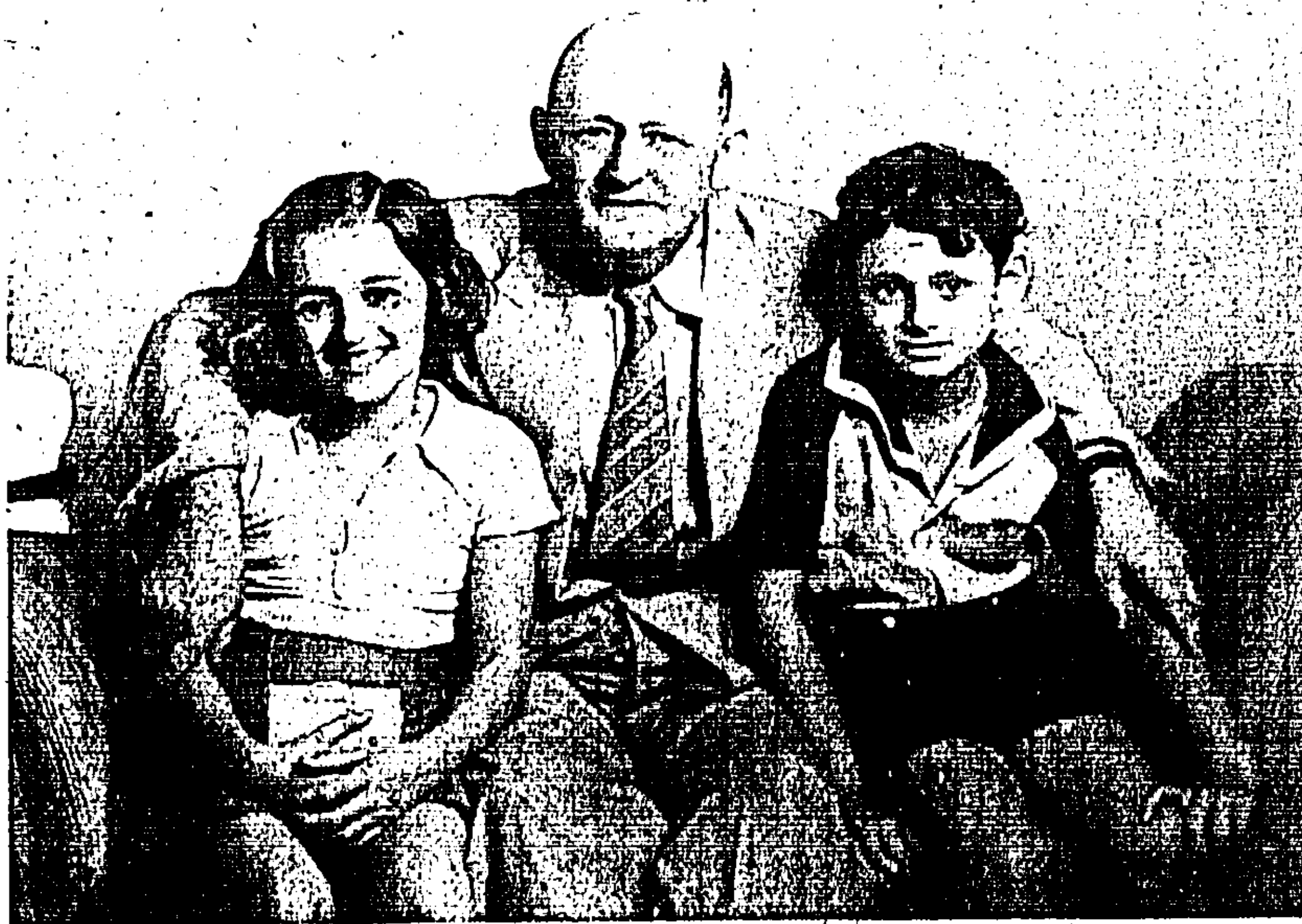


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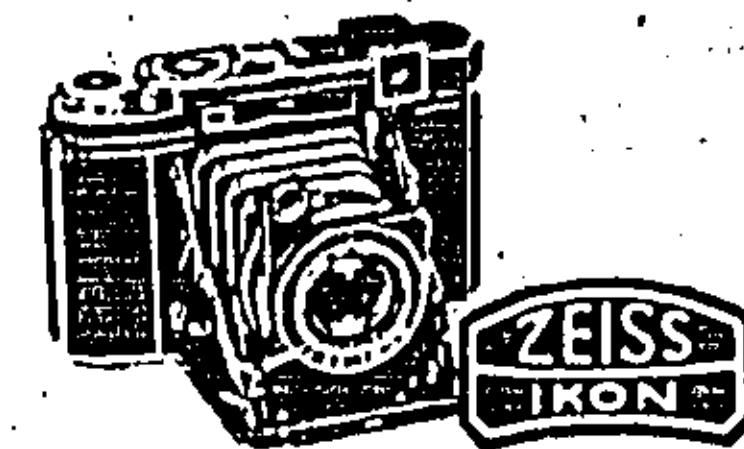
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MR. G. A. GOODBAN, Headmaster of the Diocesan Boys' School, and Miss M. H. Simpson smile happily on leaving the Registrar's Office after having announced their forthcoming marriage.—Staff Photographer.



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Girls' and Boys' Corner

Dear Kiddies,

Lots and lots of entries for the fruit guessing competition. Actually, there were six hidden fruits and only a few of you found them. Several said that the word "grape" was hidden but this was incorrect.

The prize-winners this week are:—

Dick Dedeur (aged 13½), 4, B. Block, Officers Qr's., Hongkong Prison.

Mae Somerville (aged 10½), 83, Jubilee Buildings, Shamshui-po.

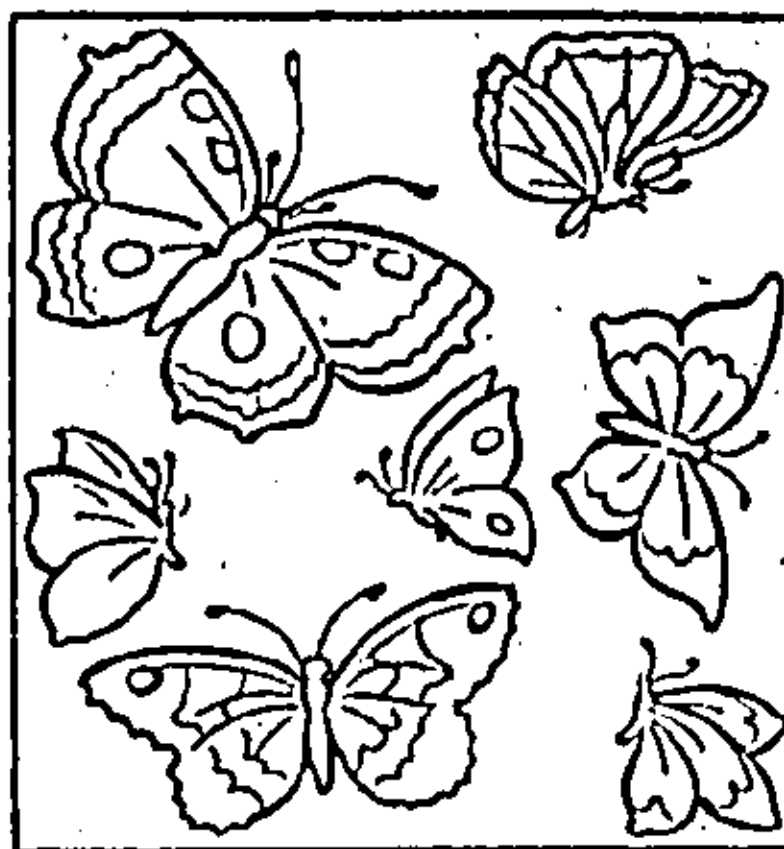
David Nicoll (aged 6), 27, Kimberley Road, Kowloon.

Coupons have been sent to Dick, Mae and David which I want them to bring to the "Hongkong Telegraph" offices in Wyndham Street. The coupons will then be exchanged for money prizes.

Specially commended for excellent work are the following:

Seniors: J. Harry, Kostin Daniloff, Michael Ferrier, Edisel Pang, John Tsang, Norman Hellevick, Patricia Dickson, Oleg Julebin, V. Tavares, Gerald Fielder, Theresa da Roza, Carolina Cruz, Lionel Houghton, Catherine Lai, Benito de Sousa, Ghazi Khan, L. Becker, E. Zen, Paul Vessona, B. Becker, Colleen Cheung, Tommy Rodrigues, Stephen Mose, Wilbur Marshall, Alice Lee, R. Remedios, William Mak, Sylvia Silva, Lee Koon-lan.

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This is all my own work
Name Age
Address

berg, Gloria Silva, Fred Lee, Sidney Hollands, P. Millett, Shona McIntyre, Constance Robertson.

Juniors: Muslim Yusuf, Nina Azevedo, M. Antonio, Billy Forster, Armando Luz, Kathleen Wong, Gerald Weill, P. Wong, David Asche, Kwan Chuen, Denis Remedios, Doreen Houghton, Rupert Samy, R. Remedios, Gerald Marshall.

This week, kiddies, carefully study the seven butterflies fluttering together. Can you draw three straight lines between them so that each one is enclosed in a little space by itself?

Only three lines, which must be straight, are allowed, and when you have drawn them, colour the butterflies prettily with your paints or crayons. Then fill in the name, age and address coupon and send your entries to Uncle Eddie, c/o "Hongkong Telegraph", Wyndham Street. The competition closes at 2 p.m. on Wednesday.

Lots of luck, kiddies.

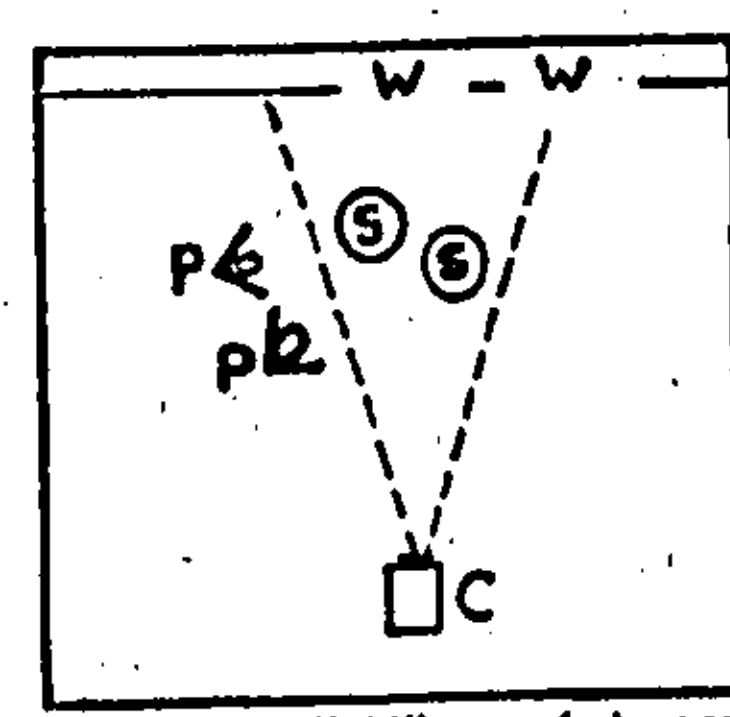
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SUNSHINE INDOORS



Appealing "indoor sunlight" pictures can be made with the simplest cameras. Photo lights may be used to brighten shadows.



"Indoor sunlight" snapshots are easy with box cameras and high speed film. SS, subjects; WW, sunny windows; C, camera; PP, photo lights in reflectors to brighten shadows.

MOST sunshine pictures are made outdoors. But charming snapshots can be made just as easily indoors, wherever the rays of the sun stream through a window.

Such indoor pictures are especially attractive when the sunlight is used as "backlighting." The picture above is "backlighted" — the sun comes from a window behind

and slightly to one side of the subject. Therefore, the subjects are surrounded by a bright edge lighting, and interesting shadows are thrown toward the camera. When you make these backlit pictures, it is wise to use photo lights to brighten the shadows (see diagram). This not only produces a better picture effect, but shortens the exposure. With photo lights arranged as shown, a snapshot can be taken with a box camera loaded with high speed film. Other cameras, 1/25 second at f11.

Interesting silhouette pictures can be made, too, when the subject is placed in front of a sunny window. If a silhouette is desired, do not use the photo lights or a reflector of any kind to illuminate the shadow side of the subject. With subject against a sunlit window make a snapshot with the second stop opening on a box camera.

Try a roll of "indoor sunlight" pictures. Many charming effects can be obtained, and snapshots of this type have a cheery, homelike touch that makes them treasured possessions.

John van Guilder.

Looking Around

BRITISH SHIPPING

By R. H. Thornton.

(Cambridge Univ. Press, 7/6)

YOU cannot read this book without, in the end, knowing more about British shipping than does the average sailor, which is saying a lot. The problems of the shipowner, of the seaman, the stevedore, the shipping agent, the shipper—all are dealt with in language which the layman can understand, and the position of the British Merchant Navy, faced with subsidised foreign Merchant Navies, yet gallantly holding its own by means of the worthiness of its seamen and the ingenuity of shipowners, is traced out for you with fascinating ease.

As a man who has obviously spent years in a shipowner's office, it is refreshing to note Mr. Thornton's attitude to the workers of the sea and his appreciation of them. His tribute to the work of Havelock Wilson—"a thoroughly hard-headed, cynical, a man of no illusions, handicapped by no conceit and capable of flashes of pure common sense as brilliant as were his flashes of white-hot anger"—is wholehearted.

If the rest of the "English Institutions" series, of which this is one, is as authoritative and interesting as this, it will be your duty to yourself to read the whole series.

E. C.

Are You Sure?

QUESTIONS ON PAGE TWO

1. Red, Yellow, Indigo.
2. Standard number of strokes for the course.
3. Make of porcelain.
4. Red, White and Blue.
5. London, b. Pisa, c. Ireland; d. Athens; e. Bombay; f. Hagen (Rhine).
6. Sterne's "Sentimental Journey."
7. Monster in Greek mythology.
8. 1940.
9. Sedgemoor.
10. Amazon.
11. Chaff.
12. Postage stamps. Steam engines. Steel ribs.
13. Majorca, Ibiza, Grand Canary.
14. All graduates.
15. Barristers become King's Counsel.
16. Declaration of Independence.
17. Rowing (London Times). Motor cycling. Rowing (Herald). Tennis (Wimbledon). Golf. Horse racing (Ascot).
18. 15 miles.
19. Herb.
20. (a) Central America; (b) Siberia; (c) Hungary; (d) Spain; (e) South America; (f) New Zealand.
21. (a) Stratus; (b) Bishop; (c) Foster; (d) Schubert; (e) Douglas; (f) Arne.
22. Lampon.
23. No. Only three of the tribes Benjamin Levi and Judah.
24. (a) York; (b) New York; (c) Sydney; (d) Istanbul; (e) Hayti; (f) Tasmania.

PUZZLE CORNER ANSWERS

Cryptogram: Intensive thought plus skilful effort conquer barriers of great magnitude.

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Letter Juggling: Merits, mistler, remits, thiers, mistler, smiler.

It is Not 99; 9 to the 9th power. Pin With Homonymy: Sue-Sue, Sue: taper—taper; knight—night; four—son; cell—cell; two—two; to: four—flower; rain—rain; reign—reign; alter—alter; coin—coin; quoin.

BOOK REVIEWS

Peculiar Treasure

MR. EMMANUEL, by Louis Golding

(Rich and Cowan, 7s. 6d.)

A PECULIAR TREASURE: Edna Ferber's Autobiography (Heinemann, 12s. 6d.)

A JEW and Jewess wrote these two excellent books. "All my life I have been inordinately proud of being a Jew. . . . But I have felt that to be a Jew was, in some ways at least, to be especially privileged. Two thousand years of persecution have made the Jew quick to sympathy, quick-witted (he'd better be), tolerant, humanly understanding. The highest compliment we can pay a Christian is to say of him that he has a Jewish heart."

So Edna Ferber defines her racial faith and pride. Her words will serve, too, for Louis Golding. He, I know from his own mouth, thanks God he was born a Jew. Both of them would still to-day exult in their Jewish identity were they German citizens.

Of course, you think of music first when you consider Jewish artists—because quite half the greatest executant musicians are Jews. But Jewish writers come close behind them in importance. It is altogether right and fitting at this time to remember them, and to remember also the creative eminence of Jews as philosophers and scientists.

Reine, Spinoza, Zola, Einstein—this is the calibre of Jewish names I recommend to your memory, which will live when all the Rothschilds are forgotten and their fortunes totally corrupted by moth and rust.

To-day it is so easy to forget the glories of Jewry, and to pity this strange people as just pogrom-fodder and no more. I do not think that at any time the Jews need pity. Like all folk, they sometimes need help.

This comes uppermost in my mind after reading these two books. Mind you, I do not suggest that the names Golding and Ferber should be appended to the four I quoted earlier. I do suggest, however, that for insight, sympathy, imagination and a civilized sense of values these are the two most distinguished books I have read this year.

MR. EMMANUEL is the retired secretary of the Jewish Board of Guardians at Doonington. He appeared ten or fifteen years younger in Magnolia Street, Golding's best seller of the 20's.

Now he is old, stiff in the joints, a tottery old widower with just a little money and not so many more years to live.

He goes to stay with Rose Cooper, the lovely Jewish Rose of Magnolia Street, who made the drama of this book by marrying John Cooper, a Christian sailor.

Rose has some German refugee boys to stay at her New Forest home. One reminds Mr. Emmanuel of his own son, who was killed in the war, and this boy is consumed by grief because his mother, left in Germany, does not write any more.

So Mr. Emmanuel goes to Germany to find out about Bruno's mother. He muddles his innocent way into jail. He is accused of complicity in the Gustaf murder. He is broken up by his keepers. He becomes an international



"CAB, SIR!"

This is a picture of Herbert Hodge sitting at the wheel of his taxi. He has just written a new book, "Cab, Sir?" published by Michael Joseph (8s. 6d.). Anybody who ever uses a taxi ought to make it his duty to read it. Particularly the chapter on Tips and Tippers.

the best kind of lively, juicy, sparkling books. They are written by a great newspaper reporter, a woman who has worked as long and with such passion that she has never had the time to find a husband or rear a family. She has poured herself out into her books, her films, her plays and her friends. She has been too intensely busy to be anything except most respectable and strictly moral. She has accepted the admiring friendship of all who came her way with impeccable reliability as her due.

She delights me in this book. She shines with the inner integrity of one who has found the thing she can do, and who does it with all her might. A grand woman.

I will not tell you the story of her life. She does that in her book. There is no room here and no need. But I will tell you why she named her book as she did, because I like the Jewish pride of it.

She prints at its end these words from the Book of Exodus:—

"Now, therefore, if you will obey My voice indeed, and keep My covenant, then you shall be a peculiar treasure unto Me above all people; for all the earth is Mine; and ye shall be to Me a Kingdom of priests, and a holy nation."

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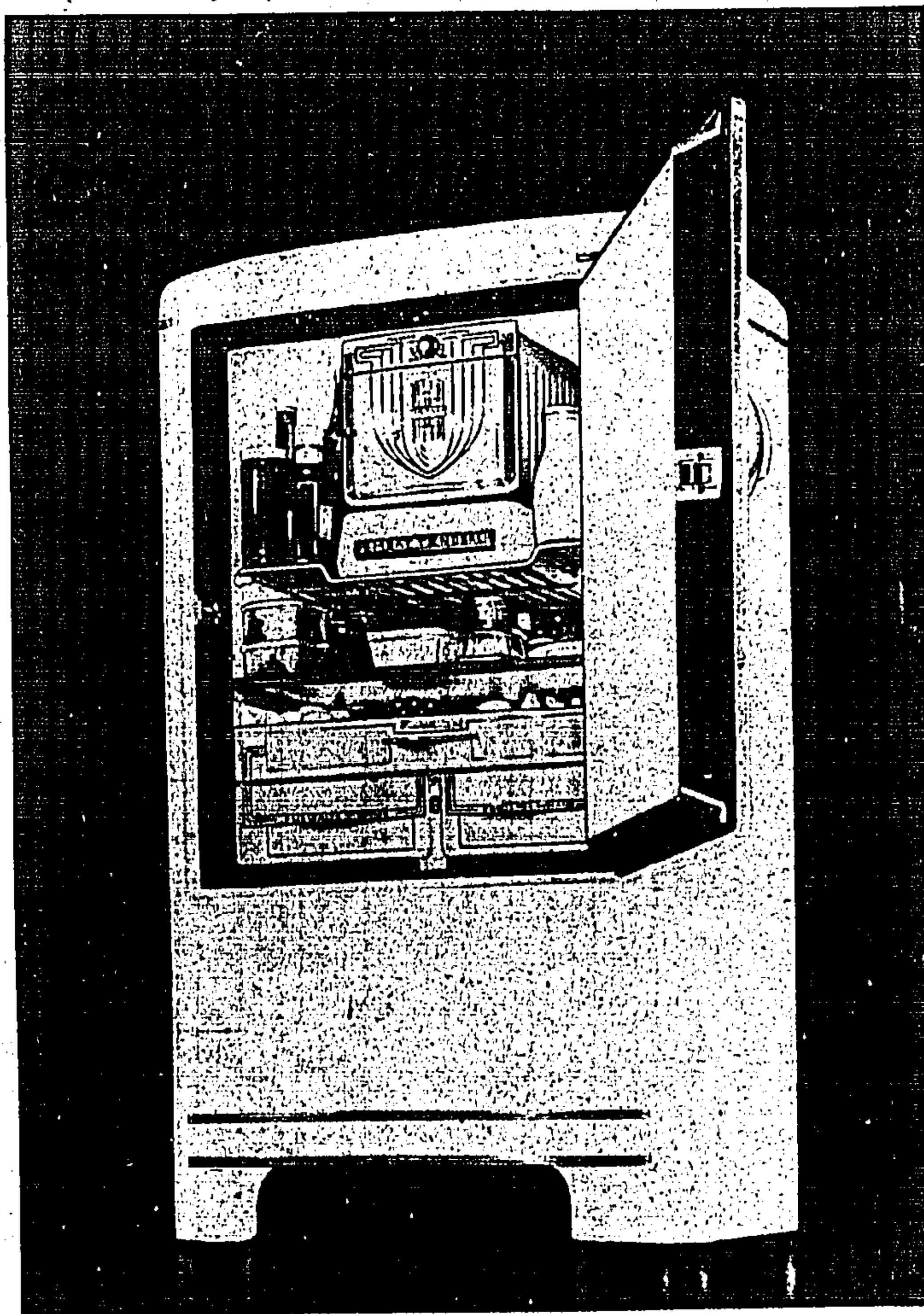
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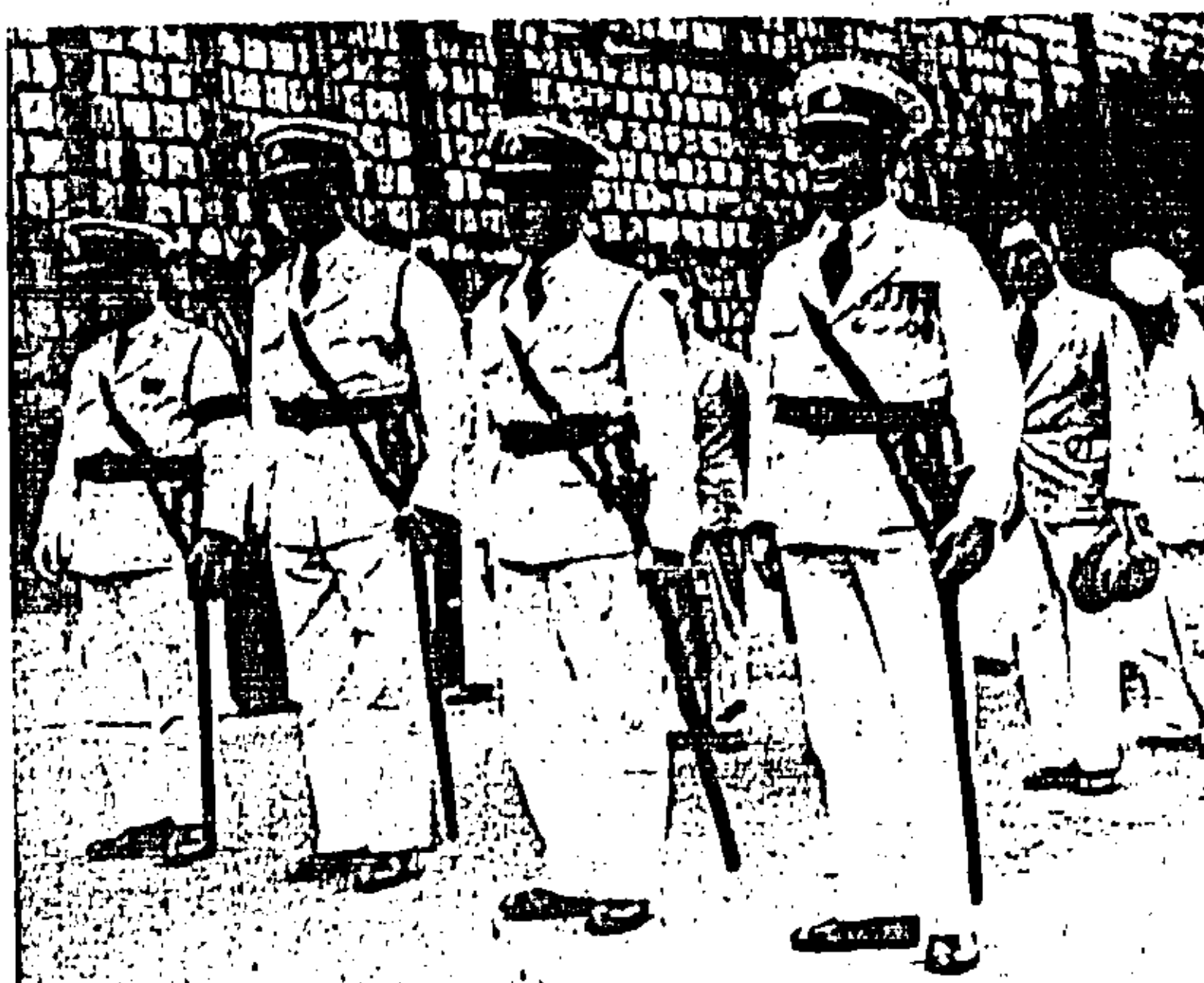


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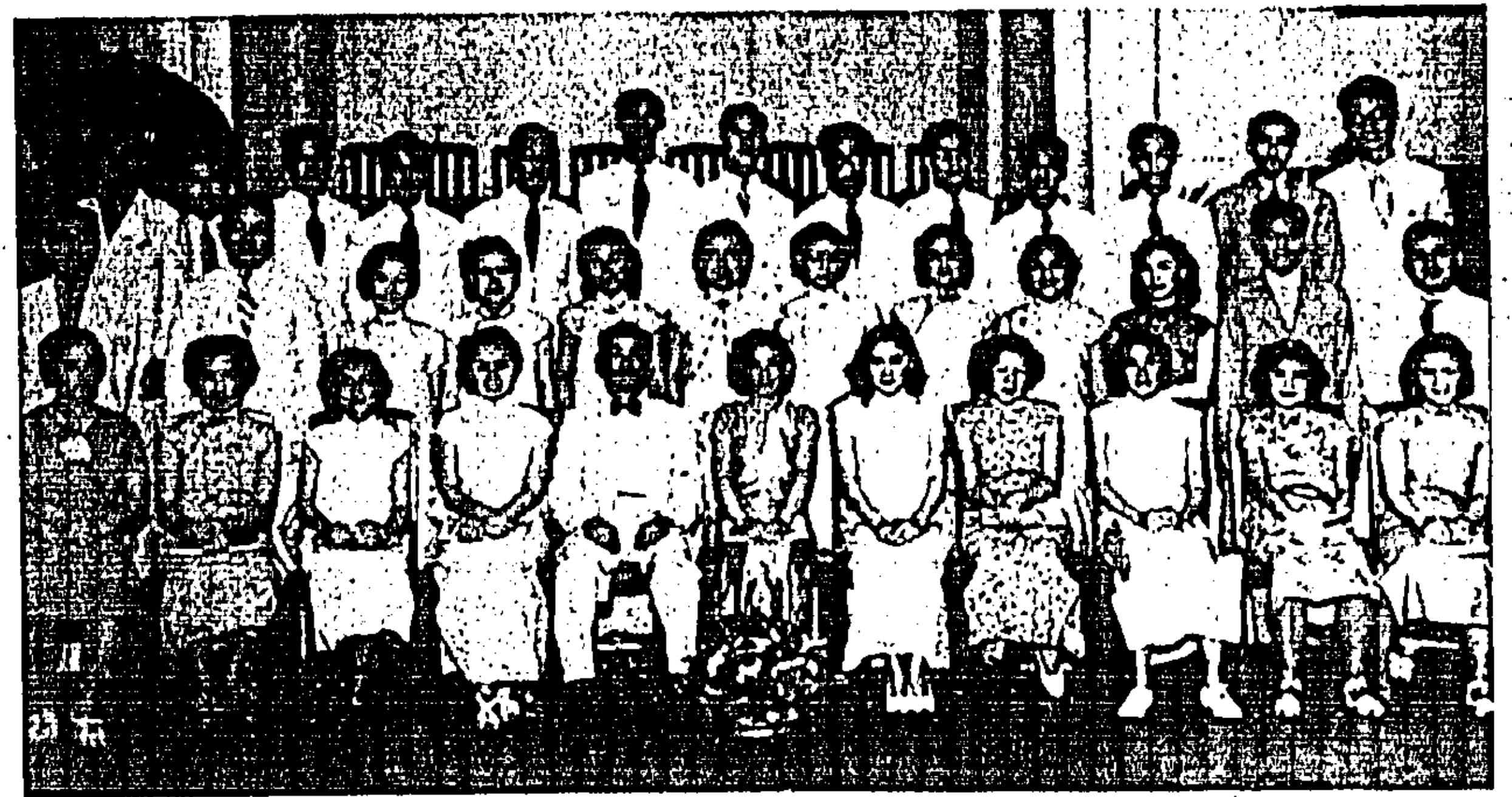
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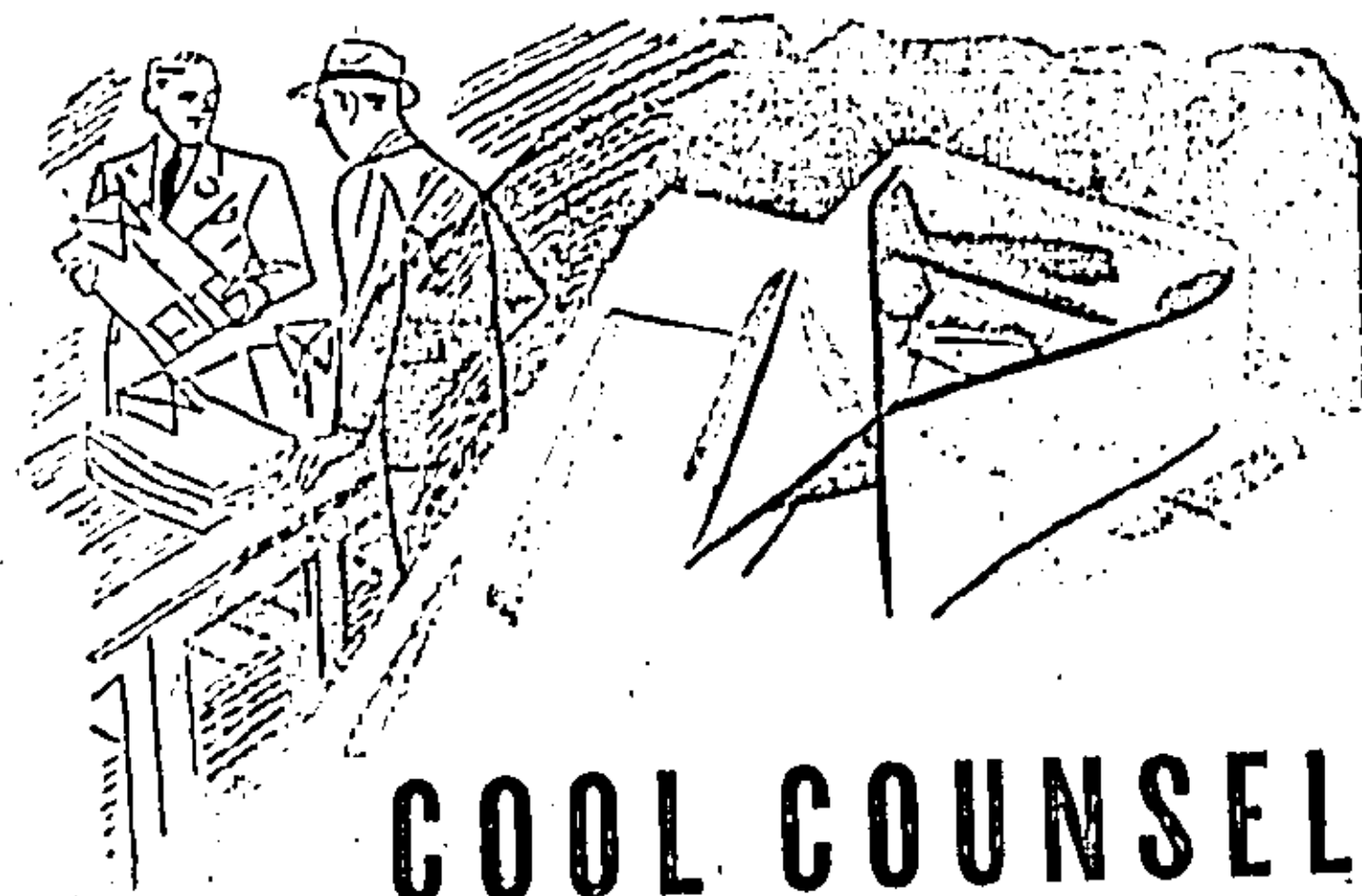
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THE CHIEF MOURNERS at the recent funeral of Sub-Inspector H. G. Baker, of the Hongkong Police Force, who died suddenly last week.—Ming Yuen.



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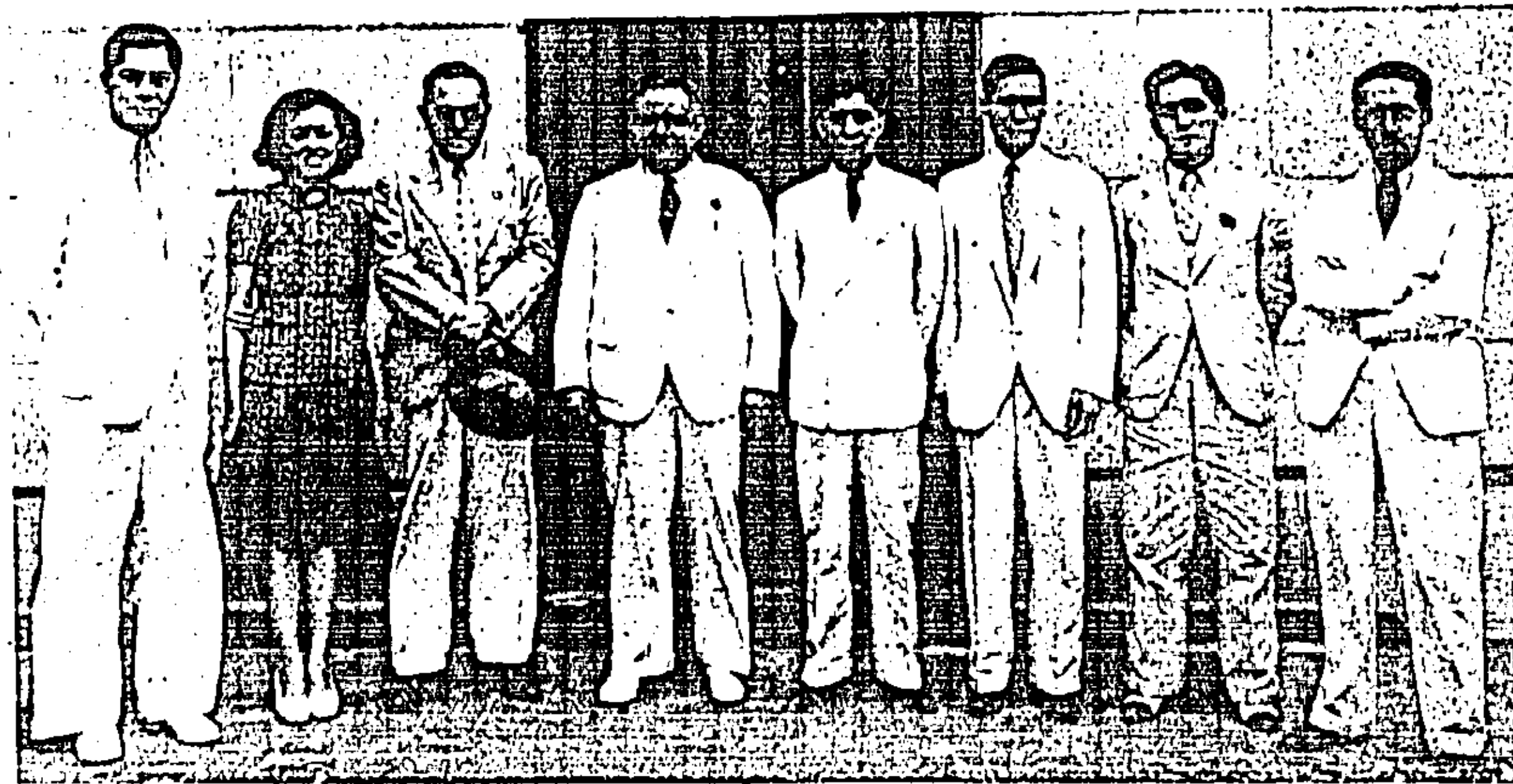
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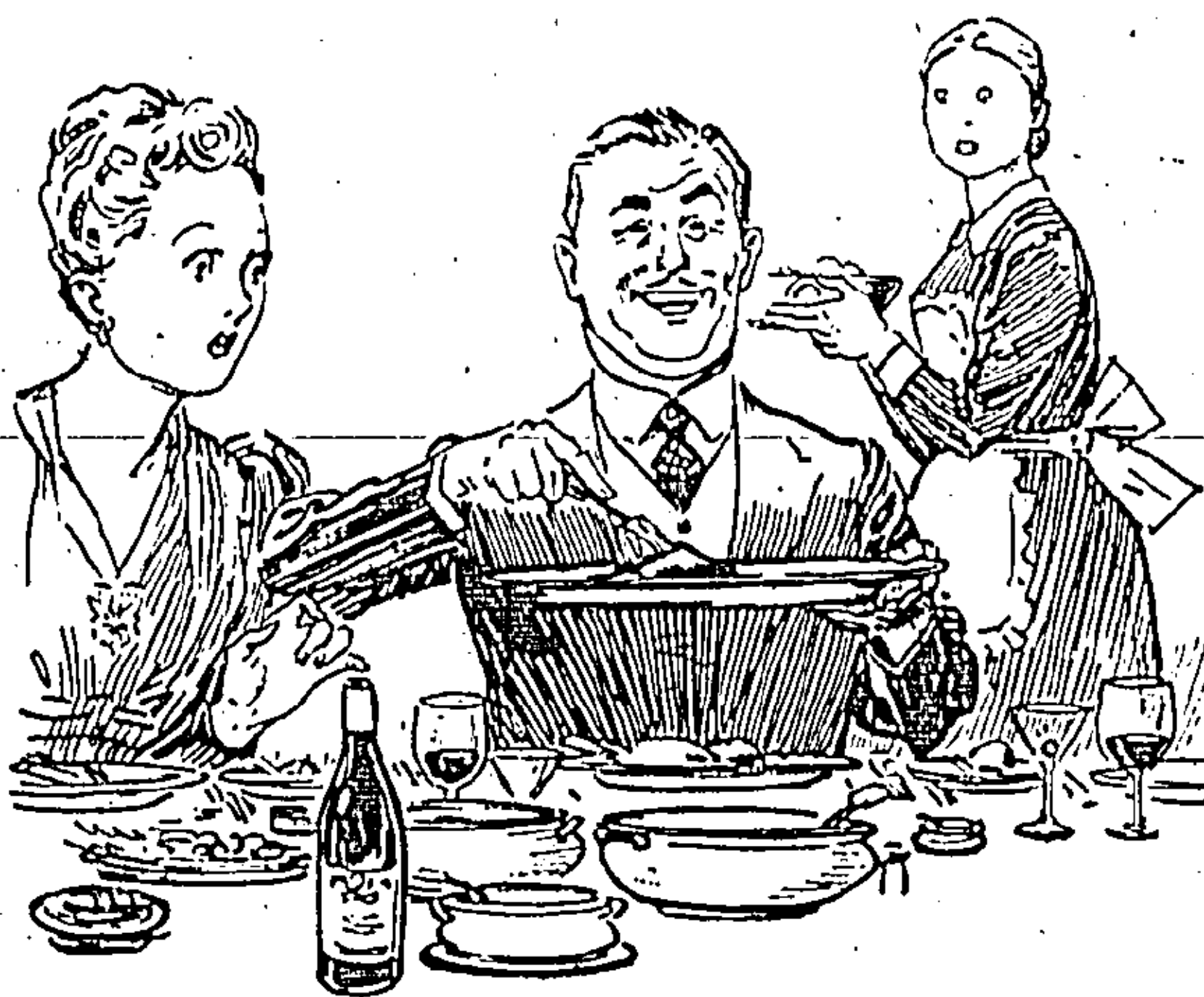
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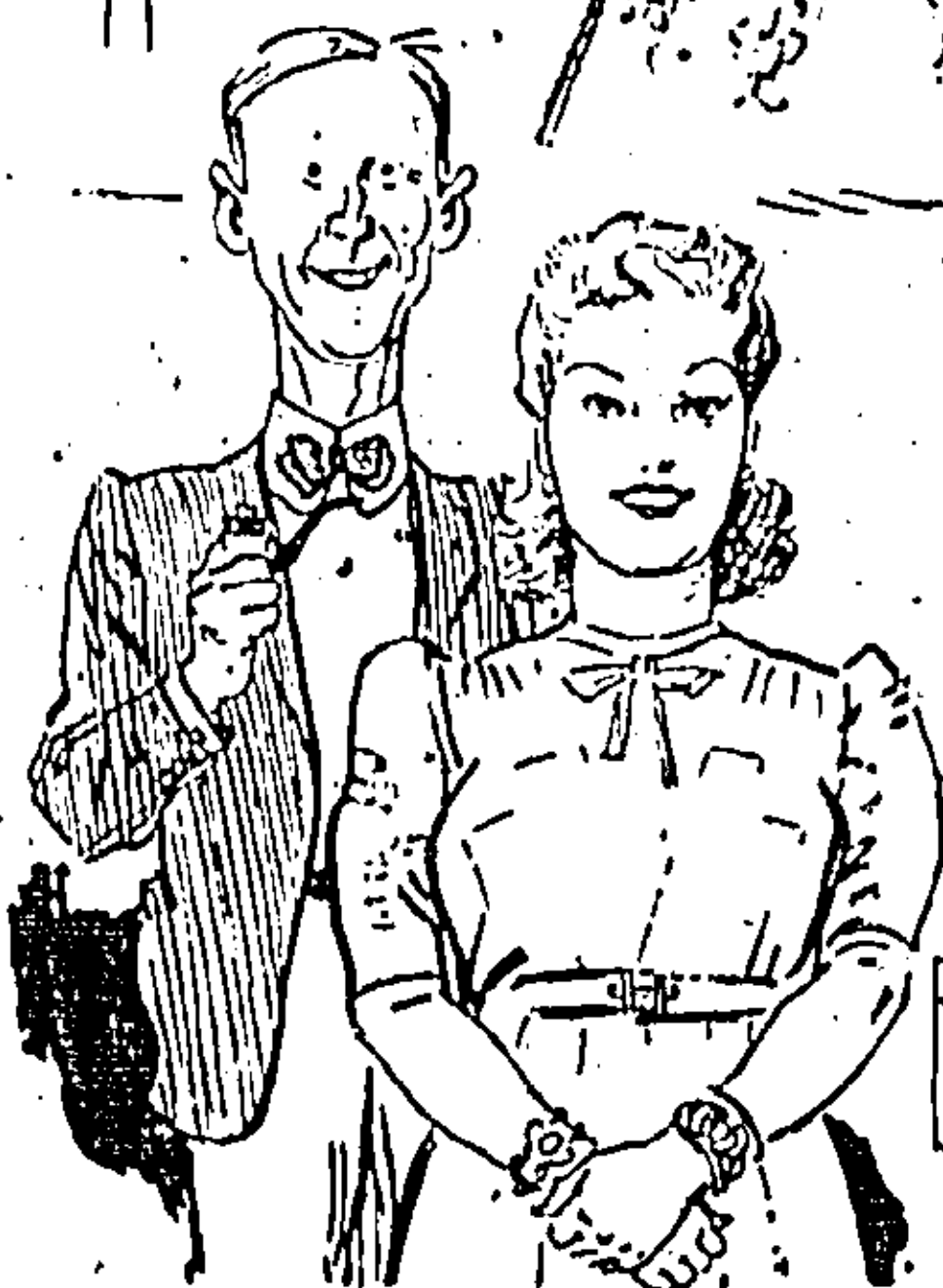
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OVERNIGHT
NEWS PAGEAustralia's
Budget

London, July 7.
Australia has a surplus of £627,000 for the year ended June 30. This was due to the abandonment of National Insurance and reduction of expenditure in public works, despite a hugely increased armament programme.—
Reuter Bulletin.

Border War

SOVIET'S
COUNTER
DRIVEMore Extravagant
Japanese Claims

Moscow, July 7.
A Soviet-Outer Mongolian counter-offensive to throw back the formations of Japanese and Manchurian forces from the positions to which they advanced in the offensive on Monday, is reported by the official Soviet news agency, Tass.

In a lengthy account of the frontier clashes during the last few days, Tass declares that the Japanese Manchurian troops, considerably strengthened, made an offensive on Monday in the region south-east of the Lake of Baikal.

The offensive was carried as far as the western bank of the Chahar River but the Soviet Outer Mongolian troops succeeded in throwing back the enemy who suffered many casualties and was compelled to leave many dead behind.

Only in the north-western position of the front, were Japanese infantry detachments able, with the support of numerous tanks, to trench themselves at the western bank of the Chahar River.

In the counter-offensive, the Soviet Outer Mongolian troops had been able, however, to dislodge the enemy, so that there was now not a single unit of Japanese Manchurian forces left on the west side of the Chahar River.—Trans-Ocean.

N.C.O. Sets A Record

Hainan, July 7.
Non-Commissioned Officer Hiro-michi Shimohara of the Japanese frontier air patrol is credited with having shot down over 40 Soviet and Outer Mongolian planes in the air duels near the border during the past few days.

Up to Wednesday, the Japanese air force shot down 29 hostile planes. During the air battle near Nonomoham on Thursday, the Japanese airman accounted for about half of the 24 Soviet machines which were lost.—Domei.

Attacks Intensified

On the Khaba River, July 7.
Japanese and Manchukuo land and air forces to-day intensified their attacks on the Soviet and Outer Mongolian forces along the banks of the Khaba River, apparently in honour of the second anniversary of the China Campaign.

Under cover of heavy aerial and artillery bombardment Japanese units were exerting increasing pressure against the main position of the 4,000 Outer Mongol and Soviet troops who have crossed the border from various directions.

A range of heights dominating the Outer Mongol main position on the bank of the Khaba River has already been reduced by Japanese forces. While a powerful detachment was continuing a frontal attack on the enemy position, mobile units staged flanking attacks.

The five-day-old battle on the Khaba River is likely to come to a showdown in the next few days.—Domei.

Tokyo Statement

Tokyo, July 7.
In a statement issued Baron Hiranuma said that the incident on the Manchurian-Mongolian frontier at Nonomoham was nothing more than an isolated action of the Japanese and Manchurian troops who drove back the Soviet and Outer Mongolian forces that had crossed the frontier.

Although the Prime Minister said that he had no exact knowledge of the inner-political situation of the Soviet Union, he mentioned nevertheless that according to the judgment of competent observers the Soviet Union was not in a position to wage a provocative anti-Japanese war.

The Japanese Government continued to make strenuous efforts to reach a peaceful settlement of the dispute about Japan's fishery in Soviet Russian waters in the Far East and the question of the Japanese oil and coal concessions on the island of Sachalin. The Japanese Government, concluded Baron Hiranuma, would use all means at its disposal to defend the Japanese rights in these regions.—Trans-Ocean.

Japanese Warned To Be
Ready For World CrisisSUDDEN DEATH OF
U.S. NAVY SECRETARY

New York, July 7.
The death has occurred of Mr. Claude A. Swanson, United States Navy Secretary, who has held this post since soon after Mr. Franklin Roosevelt was first elected President in 1932.—United Press.

Dies In Mountain Home

San Francisco, July 7.
Mr. Claude Swanson died at 8 o'clock this morning at his camp in the Blue Ridge Mountains in his home county of Virginia.
President Roosevelt has issued an announcement expressing his profound sorrow.—United Press.

Announced At White House

Washington, July 7.
The first news of Mr. Swanson's death, which occurred at his Rapidan River camp, came from the White House, when President Roosevelt made a statement that he joined the entire country in mourning for one whose many years of faithful service for the nation endeared him to all.
President Roosevelt added, "I personally mourn the passing of a steadfast and intimate friend of more than a quarter of a century." Mr. Swanson had been ill for many months.—Reuter.

"Big Navy" Advocate

Claude A. Swanson, who became Secretary of the Navy with the advent of the Roosevelt Administration, won his cabinet spurs as a "big navy" advocate.
For years prior to his appointment as Secretary he had advocated an American navy second to none in the world in strength and efficiency. He lived to see his advocacy well on the way toward attainment.

He came to his post at the head of the Navy Department when the navy was at low ebb. The Washington Naval Conference had resulted in scrapping a large number of American warships under construction and a long "building holiday" in the construction of capital ships. The London Naval Conference of 1930 had limited the number and size of cruisers and other ships which the navy might have. The economy programme of the Coolidge and Hoover Administrations had reduced warship construction to a level far below even that authorized in the naval treaties.

When Swanson took over the direction of the Navy Department warship construction was almost at a standstill, and naval officers asserted the Navy had been reduced to second or third rate in comparison with the British and Japanese fleets. Major changes then in commission were being operated on a "rotating" basis—that is, held in port and manned by skeleton crews for a part of each year.

Naval Policy Changed

Swanson was fortunate in that his "Chief," President Roosevelt, had once served as Assistant Secretary of the Navy and was himself a "big navy" man. When the Navy Department obtained huge sums for emergency relief purposes Swanson had no difficulty in obtaining generous allotments for new warship construction. With the able assistance of Admiral William B. Stanford, Chief of Naval Operations during Swanson's first term of office, Swanson was credited generally with inspiring and obtaining passage of the Vinson-Trammell Naval Bill authorizing construction of warships up to treaty limits by 1942.

Swanson immediately put the authorization into execution with funds obtained from emergency relief allotments. He was able to continue this construction, and to start new construction with added funds from regular Navy Appropriation Bills.

The Vinson-Trammell Bill authorized construction of 181 ships costing more than \$500,000,000 over a five-year period. Swanson would accept no compromise in the execution of this programme. When construction of a new Navy Building was proposed Swanson gave the proposal no encouragement.

"What the navy needs is more ships and more men. We can manage to work most anywhere," he said on more than one occasion. "When we have any money to spend we'll spend it for more ships."

To Keep Peace In Race

When Japan terminated the naval limitation treaties and Great Britain invoked the "escalator" clause to inaugurate a huge naval construction programme, Swanson immediately called for additional naval construction.

The United States, he asserted, would not initiate a naval building race, but neither would the United States permit itself to be out-built by other powers.

Admiral Standley was succeeded by Admiral William D. Leahy as Chief of Naval Operations. Leahy saw eye to eye with Swanson in the need for a navy "second to none." Out of this able combination came the President's \$1,500,000,000 Naval Expansion Bill authorizing a 20 per cent vertical increase in American naval tonnage, and construction of a number of new capital ships to match similar construction abroad. By this time more than a score of the new warships on which construction started soon after Swanson took office had been launched and



MR. CLAUDE SWANSON

commissioned in service, or were nearing completion, and scores of others were well on the way toward completion.

Swanson was nearing his objective of being Secretary of the largest and most efficient navy the United States has ever had.

Was Veteran In Congress

He was born March 20, 1862, in Swansboro, Va. He entered the New Deal Cabinet after 40 years of political experience. It included service in the 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th and 59th Congresses.

He was Governor of Virginia from 1906 to 1910.
In that year he was appointed to fill the unexpired term in the Senate caused by the death of Sen. George Warwick Daniel. From then until he entered the Cabinet he was continuously re-elected to the Senate.

Swanson, asked by reporters concerning his politics, replied invariably, "Liberal Democrat." Nothing else.

He attended Swansonville's public schools until he was 16. Then he taught school for a year there. Afterward he enrolled in Virginia Polytechnic Institute for a term.

Later he attended Randolph-Macon College, and obtained his law degree from the University of Virginia.
He lived for many years at Chatham, Va.

SWATOW
FIGHTING
Women Abducted By
Japanese Troops

Hingking, July 7.
Opening a counter-offensive on Fungkai, on the Chaochow-Kityang highway, west of Chaochow, and Fowcushan on the Swatow-Chaochow Railway, south-west of the city, on July 4, the Chinese annihilated over 100 Japanese and drove the rest from the area the following morning.

During a night attack on the railway station at Chaochow thirty Japanese were slain, while the Chinese retired later with some casualties.

The Japanese in Tathowfow, an island south of Swatow, are reported to have been totally wiped out. Peaceful conditions are now prevailing in the districts of Chaochow and Kityang, respectively south-west and north-west of Swatow.

Over one thousand Japanese who attacked Tenghai, north-east of Swatow, have been repulsed. Enormous quantities of foodstuffs stored in the city of Chaochow, which had not been removed during the retreat, was seized by the Japanese who also abducted four hundred women and girls. The booty and the female captives were sent to Swatow.—Wah Kiu Yet Po.

Chinese Recapture Fungkai

Liuhsung, July 7.
Chinese forces recaptured the small town at Fungkai, about three miles west of Chaoan, in a vigorous counter-attack on the afternoon of July 4.

About 50 Japanese casualties were inflicted by the Chinese forces. Severe fighting between Chinese forces and militia corps and Japanese blue-jackets raged at Tenghai and Fungkai, about five miles north-east of Swatow.

The Japanese attacked Tenghai and Hingking with 500 men supported by six field pieces and four armed launches. The assault started on the evening of July 6 and is proceeding unabated.—Central News.

Tientsin
Griffiths Tortured

Speaking in Tokyo, the Premier, Baron Hiranuma, said that the agenda at the coming Anglo-Japanese talks will be limited to questions affecting the Tientsin Concession, but a real settlement of issues could never be attained unless negotiations were conducted on the basis of the real significance of the construction by Japan of a new order in East Asia.

The War Minister, General Itagaki, warned the Japanese people that "the nation must be ready to face a possible world crisis."

Yesterday the Japanese authorities in Tientsin released Mr. E. T. Griffiths, the British engineer of the B. & S. steamer Yechow.

London circles believe that the Tokyo conference will be a protracted affair. Japan desires the first two days of the conference to be devoted to discussion of general topics, after which the Japanese will present concrete demands.

Tokyo, July 7.

Emphasising that Japan's policies on home and foreign affairs are based on morality, Baron Hiranuma said that this was witnessed in Japan's participation in the World War on the side of the Allies. Japan joined in the World War in respect for the Anglo-Japanese Alliance, whose provisions, however, did not bind Japan to join in the war in Europe on the British side.

The actions taken by Britain since the World War have been such as have caused dissatisfaction to Japan on many occasions. Anglo-Japanese co-operation will be difficult, therefore, unless this attitude is amended, Baron Hiranuma concluded.—Domei.

Delegates Arrive

Tokyo, July 7.
The four representatives of the Japanese military authorities "on the spot" including Major-General Akira Muto, Colonel Sakuro Kawamura, Lt-Col. Kimihide Ohta, and Major Seichi Ohta, arrived at Tokyo from North China this morning.

Taking up their quarters at the Military Club, the military delegates to the Anglo-Japanese parity talks, which they would represent not only the Japanese Army "on the spot" but also the whole nation.

Major-General Muto said that it was due to the existence of foreign settlements in the vicinity that the recent hostilities in Shanghai were protracted for a long time.

Major-General Muto pointed out that incendiary bombs have been committed 130 or 140 times in Tientsin, while attempts to wreck railways and other Japanese personalities amounted to over 200. He added that Japanese soldiers have never stripped foreigners naked.

Even after the isolation of the British Concession, there are still 12 Communist and other anti-Japanese organs in active operation in the foreign settlement, Major-General Muto revealed.—Domei.

Possible World Crisis

Tokyo, July 7.
Another warning to Britain against continued intervention on the side of General Chiang Kai-shek and against Japan, was pronounced yesterday by the War Minister, General Itagaki.

General Itagaki, in a message to the Japanese people, said that the "China episode" could not yet be regarded as closed.

"Even after the fall of the Chinese Generalissimo," optimistically declared General Itagaki, "it will be necessary to eliminate the anti-Japanese policy of third Powers, in order to deliver China from her semi-colonial condition."

"The nation must be ready to face a possible world crisis," Baron Hiranuma (Premier) and Admiral Yonai (Navy Minister) had an audience of the Emperor yesterday.

The Ministers reported on the forthcoming Anglo-Japanese negotiations in Tokyo, Japanese action in South China, and Japan's attitude towards the European situation.

The Tientsin question and Japan's relations with Britain will be discussed at a ministerial conference to-day which will be attended by the Premier, Foreign Minister, War Minister and Navy Minister.—Trans-Ocean.

Made To Confess

Tientsin, July 7.
The Japanese authorities have released Mr. E. T. Griffiths, the British engineer of the Butterfield & Swire steamer, Yechow who has been held in custody since last Saturday for allegedly "insulting a Japanese sentry" outside a cafe in the Japanese Concession.—United Press.

Forced To Sign Confession

Tientsin, July 8.
Griffiths, of Swanson, Wales, former Air Force officer, after signing a "confession" was forced to share a vermin infested cell with a coolie in a goal with two other Chinese. He said that he had received foreign food and was not molested. However his condition was "unsatisfactory" for which reason the stench was almost unbearable.

The British Consul said that Griffiths did not remember insulting the Japanese army. He said that the first indication was when he woke up late

on Sunday night and scented something wrong, in a room with Japanese officers, who immediately started questioning him in the Japanese language, with which he was not familiar. Later they twisted his thumbs and fingers, forcing him to sign a statement which is believed to have been his confession.—United Press.

Quo Tai-chi Reassured

London, July 7.
The Chinese Ambassador, Dr. Quo Tai-chi, saw Lord Halifax just evening when they discussed the situation in Tientsin, among other matters.

It is understood that it was made quite plain to the Ambassador that the British Government has no intention to compromising upon any major issues which may be raised at the Tokyo conference.—Reuter.

Electrified Barricade

Tientsin, July 7.
Foreigners coming into the British concession to-day reported that another Chinese was electrocuted last night. They said the body was lying near the place where the first victim was killed, a few hundred yards from the U.S. Marine barricades.

They said the man was undoubtedly electrocuted.—United Press.

Report To Berlin

Berlin, July 7.
Japan's measures in Tientsin, declared the Japanese commander there, General Homma, to the Voelksbecher Beobachter correspondent, are no longer concerned with individual questions but are designed "to cause Britain to reflect on the changes that have taken place in the world situation."

—Ong, side—of Tientsin—the river side—he claimed—was still open. The humiliation of individual Britons had been neither ordered nor tolerated!

It was not true that a Briton had recently been stripped, nor had the entry of foodstuffs been stopped, although there had been delays in the supply owing to supervision.

The General raised the possibility of further measures in Tientsin. "The British have little reason to complain," he said. "I have hitherto sent none of my soldiers into the Concession."—Trans-Ocean.

Defence Of
Burma
Talks At Simla On
Singapore Lines

Simla, July 7.
The defence talks which Sir Archibald Cochrane, Governor of Burma, will have with the Viceroy here next week are expected to embrace questions of coastal defence, air strength co-ordination, war supplies and the financial aspects connected with these subjects.

Major-General McLeod, General Officer Commanding Troops in Burma, and Mr. D. C. P. Philipps, Defence Secretary in Burma, will attend the talks.

Although the talks are officially described as routine, they will follow closely the lines of the Singapore Conference, which Major-General McLeod attended, and they are certain to be influenced by the developments in the Far East which vitally affect the strategic position of Burma and India.—Reuter Special.

R.A.F. On Display

London, July 7.
Ten new Wellington Vickers bombers of the Royal Air Force left England for France to-day.

Next week 50 machines will go to Paris for the celebration of French National Day.

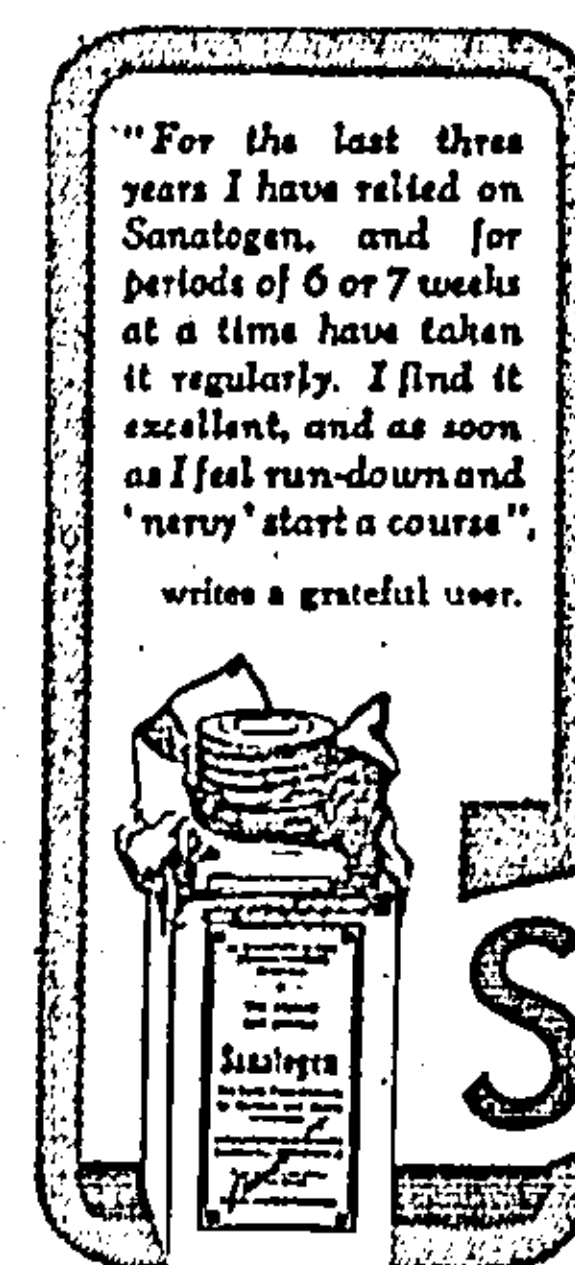
The Air Ministry is negotiating with the French Air Ministry for R.A.F. flights to France in order to give British pilots training in long flights.—Reuter Bulletin.

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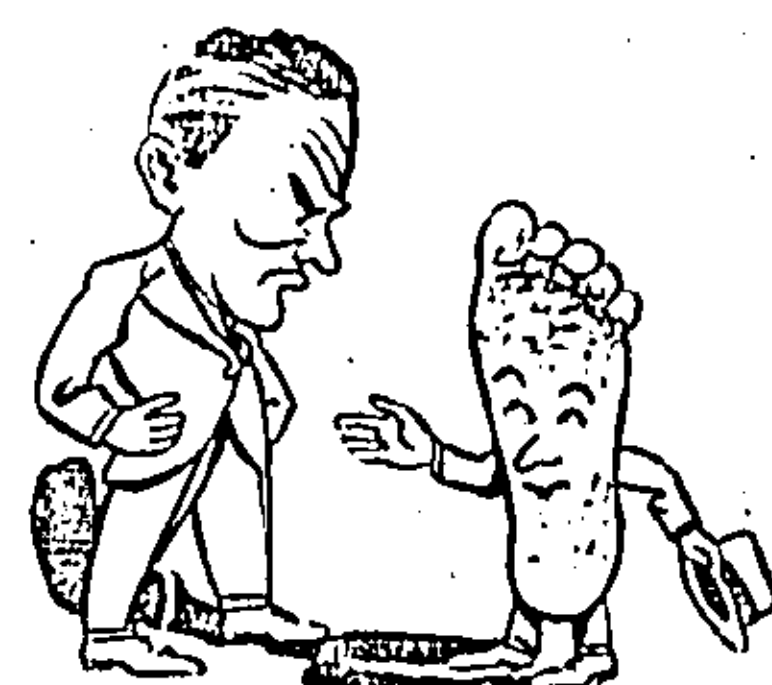
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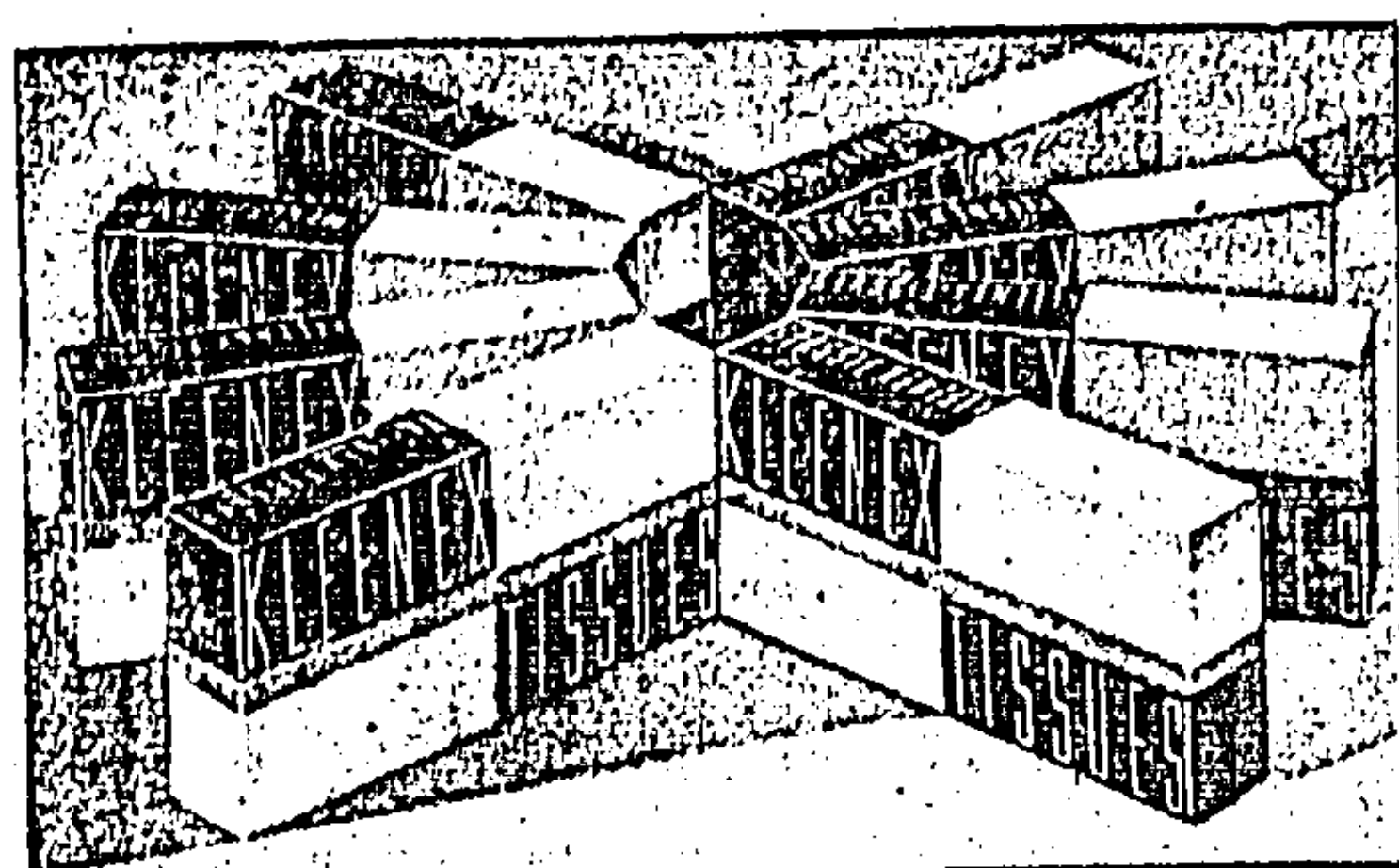


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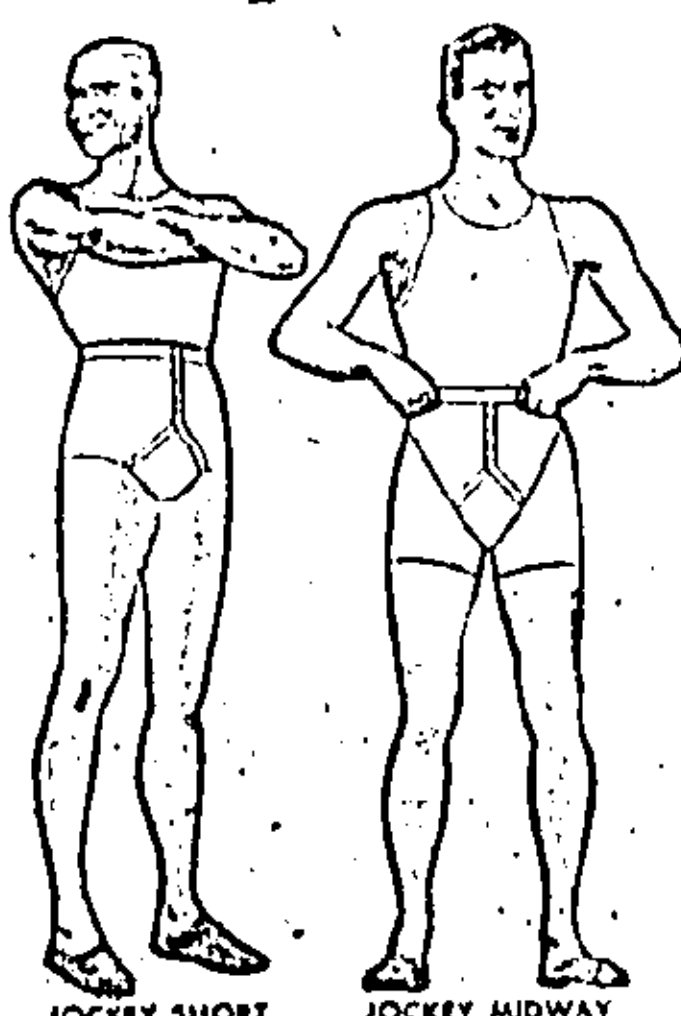
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Oil Shampoo Keeps Hair Lovely in Summer

NO MATTER how you wear your hair, when you go to a good hairdresser to-day, he will thin and shape your hair and set it in such a way as to train your waves back and up from your ears in winglike movement. Hair swept back and up is pretty and feminine—it shows off pretty features to advantage and gives a youthful lift to sagging faces.

The trend of hair styles is toward something softer for summer and hair tends to be somewhat longer, even when worn to look short over the entire head. The advantage of having hair that is five to seven inches long is that it can be arranged in different coiffures to fit a casual or formal mood.

The girl who can wear her hair "up" often has it brushed softly over the hairline with a trace of a wave and the ends in round, rolled curls on top of the head. There is none of that "pulled up" look we saw last summer, however; as soft curls or waves cover the back of the head and form a soft frame behind the ears that gives a pleasing background for the face.

Finding a more flattering hair style is only one of the steps you must take if you want your hair to be lovelier this summer. You must improve its condition with better shampoos, more regular brushing and scalp massage and, if you care for your hair—more skillful setting.

CHOOSE GOOD CLEANSER
Shampooing is more than just washing your hair; it starts with your choice of a cleansing agent. There are now foaming oil shampoos that, being soapless, are excellent for hard water; there are non-foaming olive oil shampoos that can be used as oil treatments to free your scalp of dandruff or flakes of dry skin and give your hair a lovely lustre. There are liquid castle soaps for normal hair and liquid tar soaps for oily hair or unhealthy scalps.

All of these ready-to-use shampoos are easily rinsed away. Use two or three applications if your hair is very dirty, rinsing between applications of the cleansing preparation and ending with a thorough rinse. If you want your hair to be fluffy and sweet-smelling after your shampoo, massage with your fingertips and parting the hair at intervals to give the sun's rays a chance to reach your scalp. This is a health treatment for your scalp as well as a beauty treatment for your hair.

SETTING THE CURLS
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As a change from ordinary beetroot in a glass dish, then dissolve a lemon jelly in three-quarters of a pint of boiling water, and add a quarter of a pint of vinegar. When cool, pour over the beetroot and leave to set.

Have you ever tried fried cucumber? Peel the cucumber and cut it into slices about an inch and a half thick wipe them dry and dip in egg and breadcrumbs or flour and fry in butter or salad oil. When they are nicely browned take them out of the fat, drain, and serve very hot.

Fresh green mint can be used for other things besides sauce. It is delicious in sandwiches, especially with cream cheese. Mash the cheese up with a little fresh cream and a few shredded mint leaves and spread the mixture between slices of brown bread and butter.

Cress sauce tastes good with boiled fish or fowl. Cut off the stalks and boil the heads for about ten minutes, drain and mince finely, then stir into some melted butter. If preferred, the cress may be added to an ordinary white sauce. A generous handful of cress is required for a pint of sauce.

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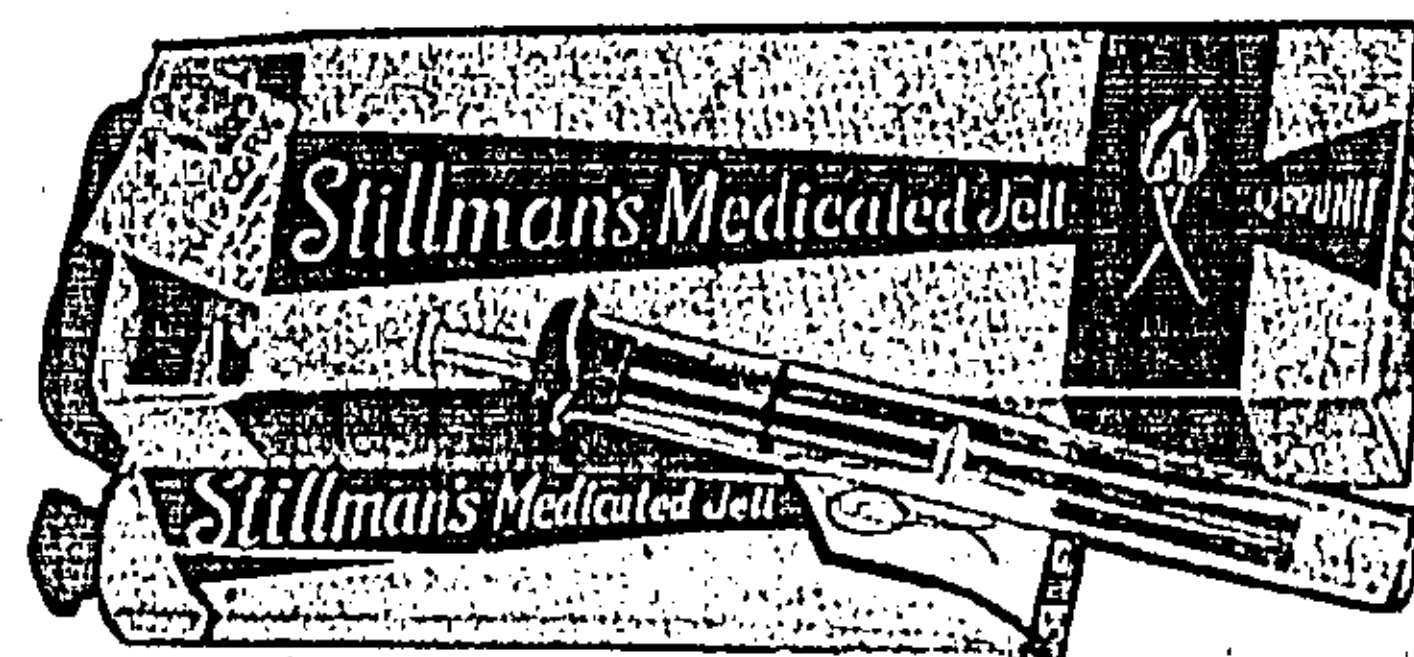
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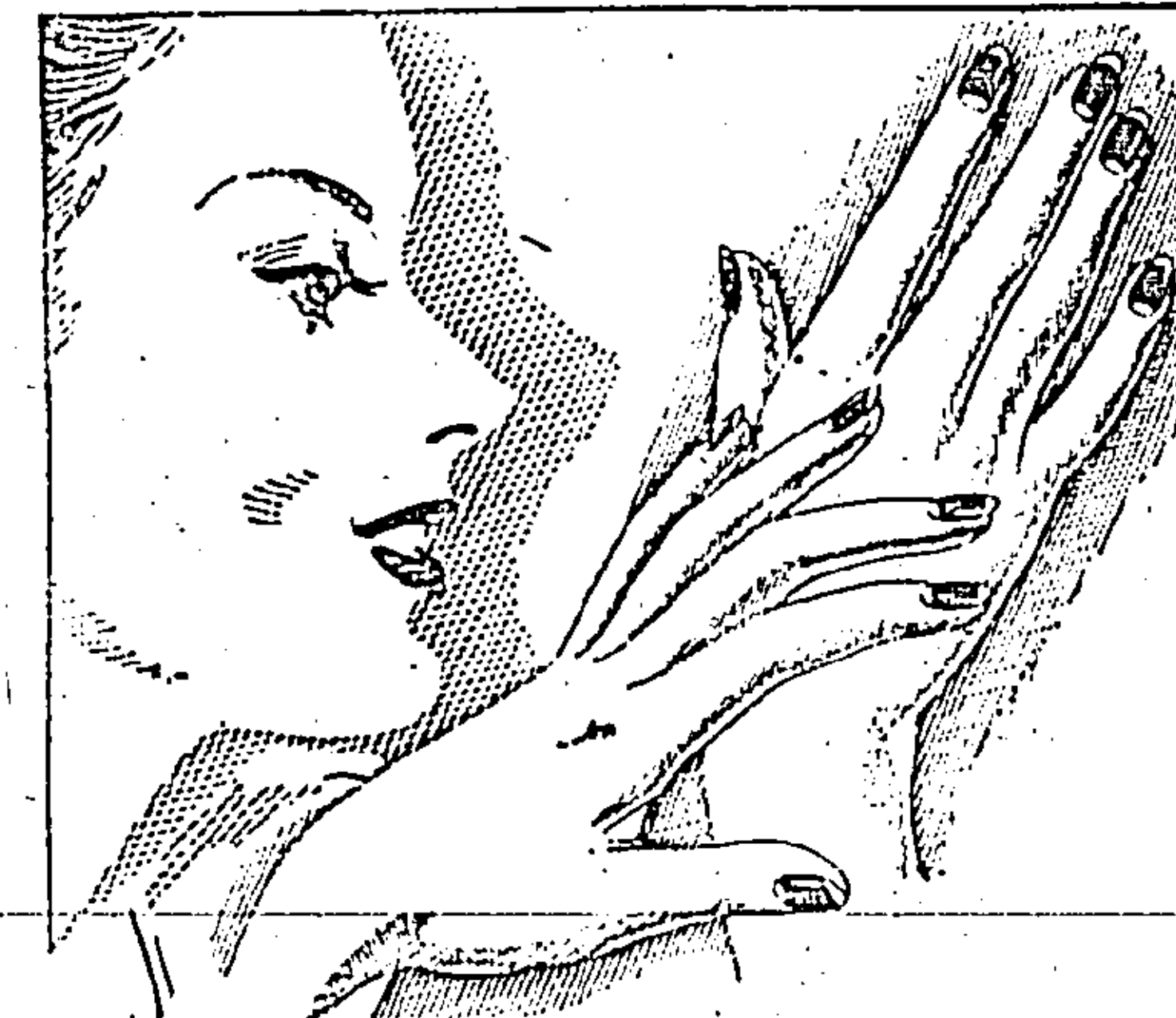
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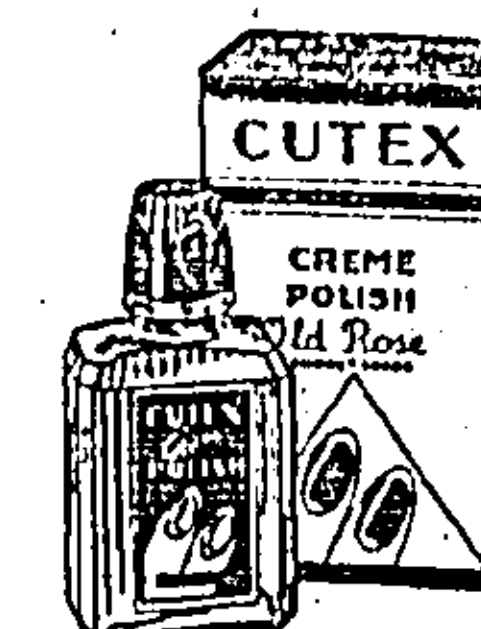


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EMPIRE NEWS

AUSTRALIA AS NEW MUNITIONS CENTRE

CANBERRA.

The new Minister of Supply, Mr. Casey, announces that the 200 Taurus engines for the first 100 Bristol Beaufort bombers to be built in Australia will be imported from Britain. Afterwards he hopes that the engines will be built in Australia.

Mr. Casey believes that Australia may well develop into a permanent source of supply for munitions of all kinds for all British countries east of Suez.

He points out, however, that it will be 18 to 20 months before full aircraft production can be started. In the meantime, about 60 Australian technicians will be sent to the Bristol aeroplane works in England and 20 British experts will be brought to Australia.

Support for Mr. Chamberlain.—Mr. Chamberlain's offer to negotiate with Germany on her claims finds support in the Middles, the Australian Prime Minister, who said recently: "If we are to return to more peaceful days and to an era of trade stability, I am firmly of the opinion that there must be a conference table."

INDIA

"EXPIATORY" FAST BY U.S. PASTOR

CALCUTTA.

The Rev. J. H. Willkie, American pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Calcutta, undertook an "expiatory" fast over action of his congregation of Indian Christians.

When the sale of certain land belonging to the church was announced, the congregation protested, and when it was to take place they started "passive resistance" in the church compound and there were no bidders.

Several of the Indians also began a fast as a protest against the sale of the church land.

New Bengal Governor.—Sir John Woodhead was sworn in at Durrutia as Governor of Bengal, an appointment he is to hold until the autumn, when the vacancy created by the death of Lord Brabourne will be permanently filled.

JAMAICA

POLICE STONED BY CROWD

KINGSTON.

Police were stoned by a crowd of about 500 in Central Park when they tried to rescue a man who was being beaten by the crowd.

It is alleged that the man interrupted a meeting where a speech was being delivered on behalf of Mr. Bustamante, the Labour leader. Several arrests were made.

SOUTH AFRICA

ATTACKS ON UNION GOVERNMENT

CAPE TOWN.

The "Cape Times" correspondent at Windhoek, South-West Africa, states that many youths who proceeded to Germany from South-West Africa for training in military, labour or political services vilify the Union Government and its administration of the mandated territory in lectures and by contributions to lesser-known publications in Germany.

Several of these young men and women are British subjects—the children of naturalised parents.

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BOBBY RIGGS DEFEATS ELWOOD COOKE IN FINAL



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AMERICANS SCORE MORE WINS AT WIMBLEDON

Bobby Riggs, the young American tennis star, joined the list of those who have won the Wimbledon title in their first attempt when he defeated his countryman, Elwood Cooke, in the final yesterday after a stirring match which went to the full five sets.

R. BURTON WINS OPEN GOLF TITLE

Lead Of Two Strokes Over Next Rival

London, July 7. Richard Burton, the British Ryder Cup player, won the British Open Golf Championship at St. Andrew's to-day, with an aggregate of 290, made up of four individual rounds of 70, 72, 77 and 71.

Johnny Bulla, of America, who had rounds of 71 and 73 to-day, was second with an aggregate of 292, followed by John Fallon, of Huddersfield, Sharncliffe, Huddersfield, and Sam King, all of whom had 294. Leaders half way through the fourth and final round were Johnny Bulla 73, aggregating 292; Reginald Whitcombe, 74, aggregating 294; Alfred Perry, 76, aggregating 296; Martine Puse, 76, aggregating 295; Percy Alliss, 74, aggregating 290; Kenyon, 74, aggregating 290; James Adams, 76, aggregating 290; Henry Cotton, 76, aggregating 290; Green, 76, aggregating 290; Max Faulkner, 80, aggregating 302; Robert Sweeney, 79, aggregating 308.

Other notable scores were A. D. Locke, 75, aggregating 296; Sam King 73, aggregating 294; James Bruen, 76, aggregating 298; Bertolino, 75 and 75, aggregating 298; and Dul Bees, 77, aggregating 297.—*Reuter*.

United Press adds that in the final two rounds, the tall loose-limbed English professional Dick Burton reared down the stretch and overtook Johnny Bulla to win the championship with cards of 72 and 71, aggregating 290.

After Bulla had overtaken the other leaders with rounds of 71 and 73, for 292, lashing wind and driving rain made conditions very difficult.

Earlier Scores

St. Andrew's, July 7. Rain is falling steadily to-day and the greens are sodden.

Scores of the third round and total for the three rounds are: J. Fallon 71-215; Martin Puse 70-210; Percy Allis 74-222; Bulla 71-210.—*Reuter*.

End of the Third Round

St. Andrews, July 7. J. Fallon, 20-year-old Huddersfield professional, leads at the end of the third round, with a score of 71 and

According to a *Reuter* account of the match, the play was almost monotonously perfect. It was the thirteenth meeting between two Americans who were both competing at Wimbledon for the first time. Riggs has won on each occasion.

It was mostly a baseline duel. Cooke was more aggressive in the early stages and won the first set comfortably, but in the second he raved five set points before losing it in the 14th game.

United Press says that Riggs, staging a gallant bid, defeated Cooke after one of the most stirring matches in Wimbledon history, which rewarded the 15,000 spectators for their presence on the Centre Court.

Fatigue and not lack of strokes defeated Cooke. In the last two games, Cooke was so weary that Riggs turned "on the heat", picking him out at will, and made three "aces" in the final game.

It was chiefly a baseline battle, but play was sparkling at times. Riggs's volleying and drop-shots often drew cheers from the crowd. After the match, both staggered off to the dressing room almost exhausted. With his arm on Cooke's shoulder, Riggs said "Good! What a game! I have never felt so tired in my life."

Elwood said "I knew he was going to get me."

When starting play, Riggs was almost too cautious and acted badly. Cooke dominated the court in the early stages, but Riggs got on to his game from the fourth set.

MORE AMERICAN SUCCESSES
More American successes were registered in the mixed doubles. In the quarter-final round, Bobby Riggs and Miss Alice Marble, the favourites, eliminated C. M. Jones and Miss Harvey, of Britain, by the odd set, and in the semi-finals they beat C. E. Maltroy (New Zealand) and Miss Betty Nuthall.

Elwood Cooke and Mrs. Fabyan, another American combination, defeated A. D. Russell and Mrs. Hamnerley by the odd set in the quarter-finals.

In the women's doubles, Miss Helen Jacobs (U.S.A.) and Miss A. M. Yorkie (Britain), who may yet challenge the supremacy of Miss Marble and Mrs. Fabyan, put out the young English pair of Miss Jean Nicol and Miss Betty Nuthall.

total of 215, followed by Shankland, an Australian living in England, with 75-217, Perry 73-218, H. Burton 70-219, J. Bulla 71-210, Martin Puse 70-210, Reg. Whitcombe 74-220, Dul Bees 75-220, Locke 76-221, Sam King 75-221, Serran 74-222, Kenyon 74-222, Adams 75-222, Max Faulkner 76-222, Green 72-222, Henry Cotton 72-222, and Bruen 75-222.

Other notable scorers are Easterbrook 80-225, Busson 81-225 and

Results Of Yesterday's Matches

The following results of matches played at Wimbledon yesterday were cabled by *Reuter* and United Press.

MEN'S SINGLES (FINAL)

Bobby Riggs (U.S.A.) beat Elwood Cooke (U.S.A.) 2-6, 6-0, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES (SEMI-FINALS)

Miss Helen Jacobs (U.S.A.) and Miss A. M. Yorkie (Britain) beat Miss Jean Nicol and Miss Betty Nuthall (Britain) 5-7, 6-4, 11-9.

MEN'S DOUBLES (SEMI-FINALS)

C. E. Hare and F. H. D. Wilde (Britain) beat R. A. Shays and J. S. O'Hair (Britain) 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

MIXED DOUBLES (QUARTER-FINALS)

Bobby Riggs and Miss Alice Marble (U.S.A.) beat C. M. Jones and Miss Harvey 5-7, 6-1, 6-3. Elwood Cooke and Mrs. Fabyan (U.S.A.) beat A. D. Russell (Argentina) and Mrs. Hamnerley (Britain) 5-7, 6-3, 6-3.

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Home Cricket

WEATHER SPOILS MATCHES

The weather played tricks with some of the cricket matches at home during the last few days. At Swansea, the County Championship match between Glamorgan and Hampshire was abandoned with no play at all on the second and third days, while at Harrogate the game between Yorkshire and the West Indies was also spoiled by rain.

In their annual match, Players defeated Gentlemen at Lord's by 160 runs.

Most interesting match in the County Championship was that between Worcestershire and Surrey. A sporting declaration by Surrey gave Worcestershire a chance to score an outright win and the latter took advantage of it by winning by three wickets.

The following scores and results are cabled by *Reuter*:

GLAMORGAN v. HAMPSHIRE

The match between Glamorgan and Hampshire at Swansea was abandoned, there being no play on the second and third days. Hampshire had scored 50 for two wickets when stumps were drawn.

SUSSEX v. LANCASHIRE

At Hove, Sussex took points on first innings from Lancashire. Sussex—440 for 7 wickets, declared (Cox 182, James Langridge 101).

Lancashire—148 and 173 for 3. **YORKSHIRE v. WEST INDIES**

At Harrogate, the match between Yorkshire and West Indies was abandoned.

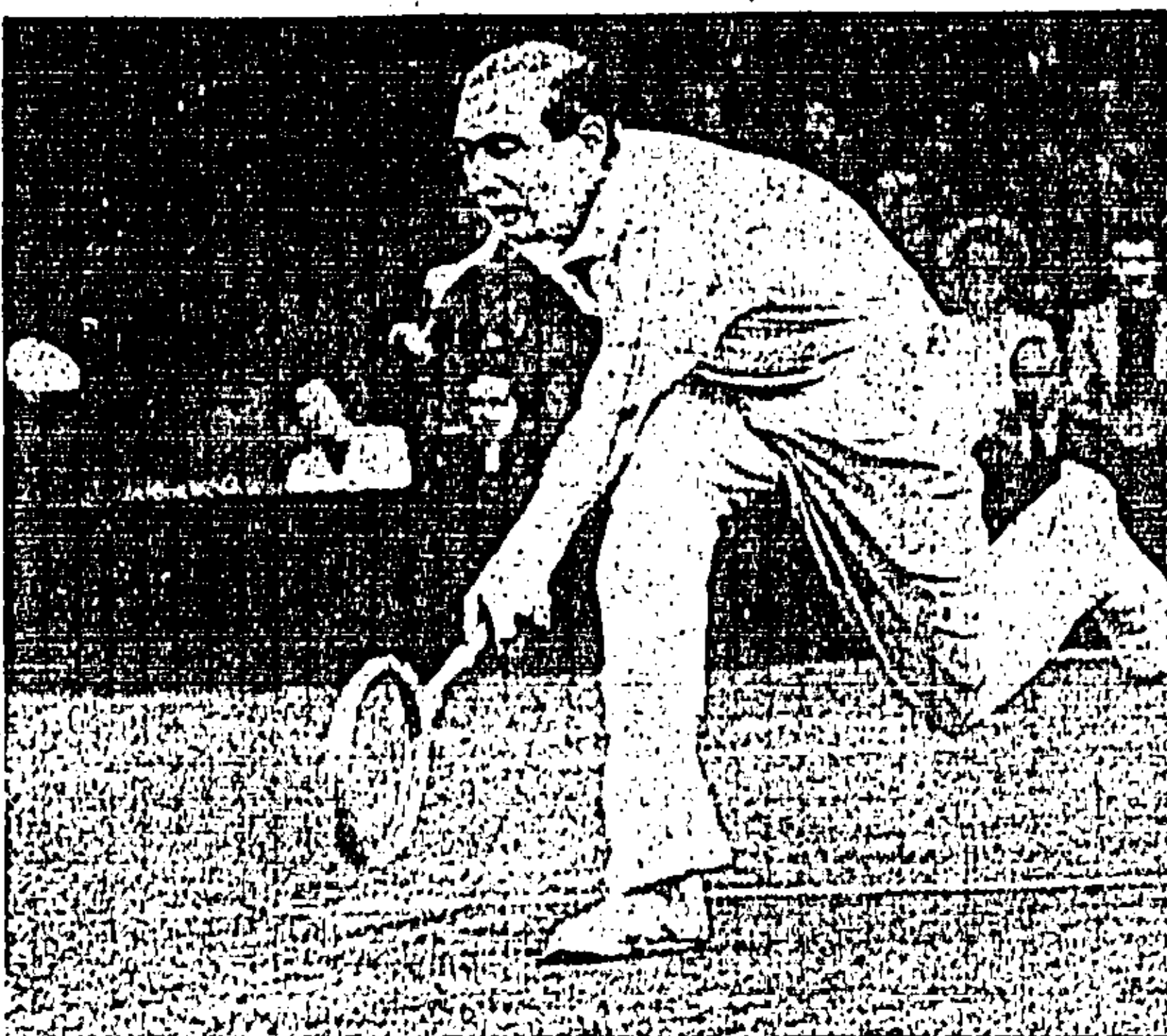
West Indies—234 and 116 for 6. Yorkshire—114 (Clarke 5 for 40, Constantine 5 for 20).

GENTLEMEN v. PLAYERS

At Lord's Players defeated Gentlemen by 160 runs. Players—270 (Farnes 5 for 70) and 202 for 4 decd. Gentlemen—158 for 7 decd. and 154.

WORCESTERSHIRE v. SURREY
At Worcester, Worcestershire defeated Surrey by three wickets. Surrey—259 and 175 for 0 decd. Worcestershire—272 for 0 decd. and 163 for 7.

—*Reuter*.



Charles Hare, who strained his back in a recent tournament, has apparently recovered. He and F. H. D. Wilde have entered the final of the men's doubles where they will meet the Americans, Bobby Riggs and Elwood Cooke.

Henley Regatta

ARGENTINE CREW REACHES FINAL OF WYFOLD CUP

The semi-finals of the Diamond Challenge Sculls were held to-day at the Royal Henley Centenary Regatta when J. W. Burk, the American holder, easily beat Allnutt, of Cambridge University in 10 mins. 29 secs., while Verrey, of Poland, beat Burnell, of Oxford University, by one and a quarter lengths in nine mins. two secs.

In the Centenary Double Sculls, one of the new events, J. Beresford and L. F. Southwood, the veteran Olympic Champions, beat Andressen and Peetersen, of Belgium, by four lengths in eight minutes 27 secs. in the semi-final round.

In the quarter-finals of the Stewards' Challenge Cup for fours, Zurich Rowing Club of Switzerland, winners in 1935 and 1936, easily beat London Rowing Club in eight minutes 40 secs.

In the quarter-finals of the Thames Challenge Cup, the Thames Rowing Club easily in seven minutes 33 secs.

In the semi-finals of the Ladies' Plate, Eton, the last school crew, were eliminated when they were easily beaten by Clare College, Cambridge, in seven minutes 46 secs.

In the semi-finals of the Silver Goblets, Curragh Park, of London University and Sanford Parker, of Trinity Hall, Cambridge, qualified for the final.

WYFOLD CUP

The Tigre Boat Club, of the Argentine, represented by a team of four businessmen home on leave, reached the final of the Wyfold Challenge Cup, being the first Argentine crew ever to reach a Henley final. They beat Walton by a length after being down for most of the way. They will meet Maidenhead in the final.

There will be an Oxford and Cambridge duel in the final of the Visitors' Cup between Trinity Hall, Cambridge, and New College, Oxford.

The Fama Rokklub, of Norway, easily beat Emmanuel College, Cambridge, in the quarter-final of the Thames Challenge Cup and will meet Tabor Academy (U.S.A.) in the semi-final round.

Oriel College, Oxford, beat Magdalen and Trinity, Oxford in the semi-final round of the Stewards' Cup and will meet the Zurich Rowing Club, Switzerland, in the final.—*Reuter*.

Conditions A Little Better

London, July 7. Conditions at the Henley Regatta to-day were more favourable, but still a head wind had to be contended with by the competitors.

Kent School, America, holders, advanced to the semi-final of the Thames Challenge Cup by beating Lensbury easily in seven minutes 45 secs., while the Tigre Boat Club, Argentine, reached the semi-finals of the Wyfold Challenge Cup, for which they are now favourites, by beating Kent School, America, by two lengths in nine minutes eight seconds.

The Italians advanced in the final of the Centenary Double Sculls by beating the Marlow pair easily in eight minutes 33 seconds.

In the semi-finals of the Grand Challenge Cup, Harvard University beat Jesus, Cambridge, by two and a quarter lengths in seven minutes 21 seconds. The Argonaut Rowing Club, Canada, beat the Sydney Rowing Club, Australia, by three lengths in seven minutes 35 seconds.—*Reuter*.

Baseball Programme Revised Once Again For The Week-End

(By "Bingle")

Revising the schedule for the fourth time since the Baseball League started has given Secretary Roy Lau the well-known jitters. But, that can't be helped! U. S. S. Mindanao will be again absent from port this week, so there'll be only two League games. Another tussle is being arranged, however, between the Royal Engineers and a local team.

In the only tilt to-day at 2.30 p.m., at Caroline Hill, Chinese Baseball Club take on South China A.A. in a return engagement. Although Nam Hwa showed up the formidable Union Brewery aggregation last Sunday, they haven't a hope when they come up against Chung Hwa. Rivalry between these two Clubs is intense, and fans shouldn't miss this opportunity of seeing a whale of a game.

Chung Hwa are hitting their stride now, in the well-known mid-season form, with which they are quite capable of displaying, and should take Nam Hwa.

The battery of Earl Wong and Nip Lum for Chung Hwa is just about tops in our League. Although Nam Hwa has many winning games chalked up to him, he's still our Wizard of the Whiff.

Nam Hwa dished up sterling ball last Sunday, while the squad worked hard as a unit. They made two less errors than the Brewers, 5, and made the same amount of hits. If they had been able to put in a couple of pinch-hitters in there at crucial moments, they'd have seen the game up.

BASEBALL CLUB TANGLE WITH CLUB DE RECREIO

To-morrow's only League tussle is at 10 a.m., when Hongkong Baseball Club tangle with Club de Recreio. This is also a return match. As much as a disgruntled outfit as the Hongkong team, the Hongkongers are worse—and then some! Spotty Pereira and Al Alvarez will form the nucleus of the Portuguese battery, while Doc Molten will probably use youngster Billie Clague on the slab in place of Larry Lawrence, if the latter is still away from the

SAPPERS TO PLAY TO-MORROW

At 11.30 a.m., a friendly game has been arranged between the newest comers to the ranks of baseball, the Royal Engineers, and a local side to be chosen by Charlie Horton, of U. S. S. Mindanao. This is in the nature of a baptism for the Sappers who have not yet played against seasoned players. They will be led by keystone sucker Sid "Weller" Welford, and their battery will consist of "Benny" Goodman and Bailey.

The Engineers have been practising diligently the past month, and should give a good account of themselves, although one would hardly expect them to dish up Grade A baseball. After all, the local calibre doesn't rate so high, and, as a wise old man once said, "you can't put 'em in jail for trying!"

As gravel rash is an ailment that takes time to heal, and rubber soles are poison on a ground such as the one at Caroline Hill, the Sappers should heed the warning, and not spike. Baseball isn't baseball without spikes, and I know that very few, if any, of the Engineers are equipped with these pedal adornments.

Colony. Billie has high aspirations of becoming a plicher, and should be a good one, too, in a few years' time.

Colonel Dave Walker will unfortunately be out of the game. Dave hurt a finger last week, and won't be able to play for some time.

I have been given to understand that the Recreio men will be turning out in full force to-morrow, and it's a healthy sign for the Portuguese. They're a bunch of fellows who have a mind to play ball. Anyway, such old-timers as Mike "Fats" Mendonca and Henry Barros are needed badly out there.

HARDSTAFF HERO OF WONDERFUL NOTTS TRIUMPH

Nottingham: Nottinghamshire beat Essex by 8 wickets. London, June 10. Set to score 238 in two hours 10 minutes Notts accepted the challenge in great style and within a hundred minutes four batsmen had hit off the required runs.

In opening the race with the clock, Keeton and Harris knocked the bowlers off their length, 14 runs coming in one over from Ray Smith and 19 in another by Peter Smith. They sent up 50 in 22 minutes.

After Harris was taken at the wicket at 67, Knowles helped to raise the 100 in 44 minutes, and a minute later Keeton reached 50 out of 102.

Fierce as was this rate of scoring, however, it was nothing to what occurred when the dismissal of Knowles, which broke a second wicket stand of 85 in 40 minutes, made way for Hardstaff.

The newcomer began by taking a six and two fours off Eastman. In another over from Taylor he hit 22, including a six and three 4's, placing 200 on the board at the end of 60 minutes, and completing 50 out of 60 in 10 minutes. He followed by driving Stephenson for four consecutive 4's, and just after half past five Notts gained a wonderful triumph.

Keeton hit seven boundaries, and Hardstaff, who batted only half an hour for his 67, claimed two sixes and ten 4's.

ESSEX ECCENTRICITIES
The defeat of Essex after a first innings of 631 for 7 declared recalls a still more remarkable match.

In July, 1904, at Chesterfield, Essex scored 697, Percy Parrin, now chairman of the England Selection Committee, making 343 not out.

Derbyshire were only 40 behind. Then they dismissed Essex for 97 and knocked off the 147 wanted for the loss of L. G. Wright. C. A. Ollivierre made 321, once out, for Derbyshire.

First Innings—531 for 7 dec. (Eastman 64, O'Connor 104, Taylor 70, J. W. A. Stephenson 61).

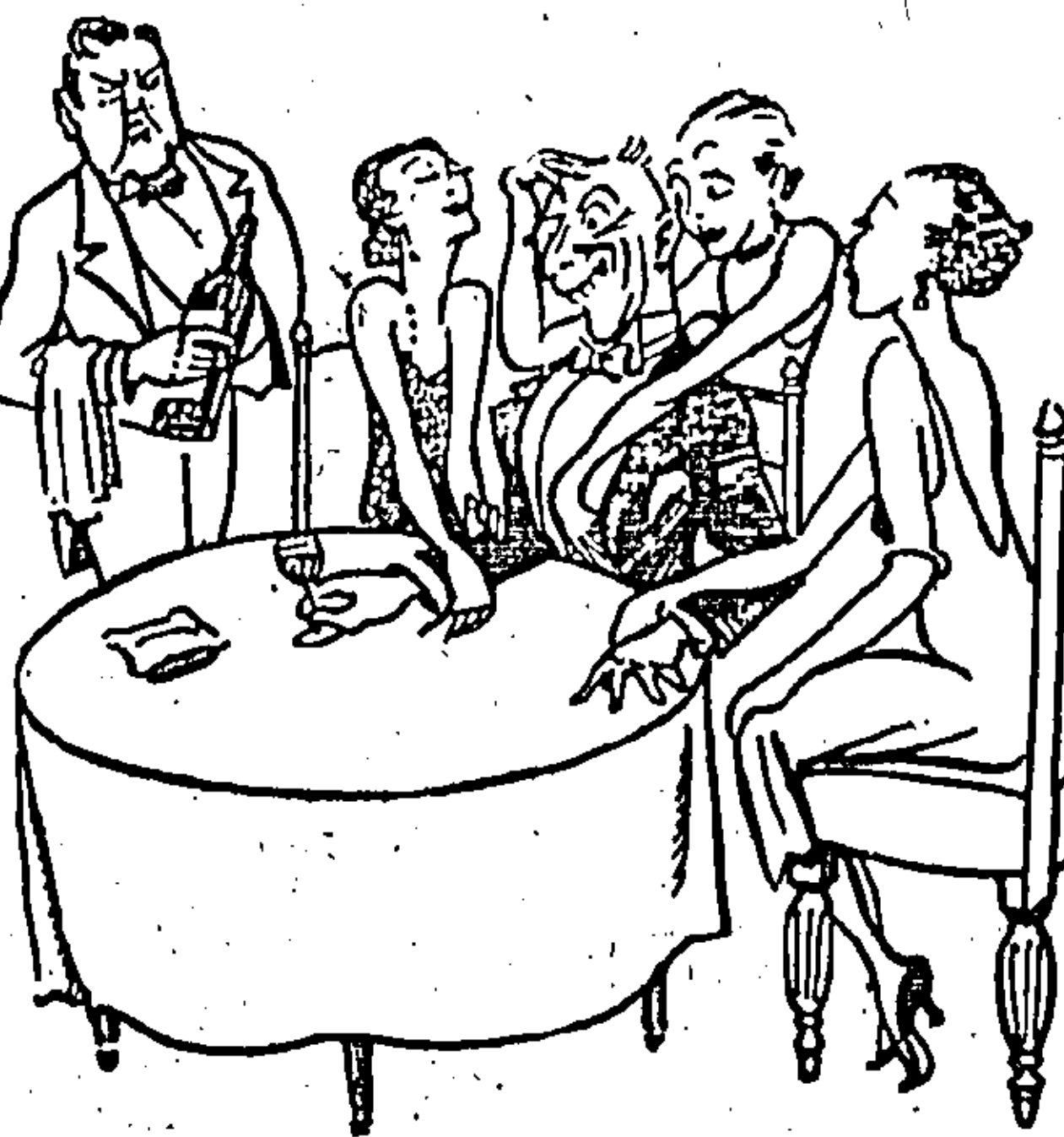
Second Innings
Eastman c ailes b Giles 17
Smith (R) b Butler 0
Wade c Wheat b Giles 23
O'Connor c Wheat b Gunn 35
Smith (P) c Woodhead b Gunn 10
Taylor c Jepson b Gunn 18
J. W. Stephenson c Heane b Gunn 1
N. Dennis not out 6
Total (7 wks. dec.) 124

Bowling—Butler 71-2-51, Woodhead 2-0-24-0, Giles 14-3-2-2, Gunn 9-4-1-30-4.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE
Keeton c Wade b Taylor 46
Harris b Smith (P) 109
Knowles c Eastman b Taylor 14
Hardstaff lbw b Taylor 9
Gunn lbw b Smith (R) 17
O. F. H. Heane c Stephenson b 48
Giles b Smith (P) 41
Wheat not out 31
Woodhead c Smith (R) b Smith (P) 6
Butler c O'Connor b Stephenson 7
Jepson b 1
Total (2 wks.) 238

Bowling—Stephenson 65-0-39-0, Smith (P) 3-0-14-0, Smith (R) 5-1-30-0, Eastman 6-0-51-1, Taylor 6-0-45-1.

Social Successes



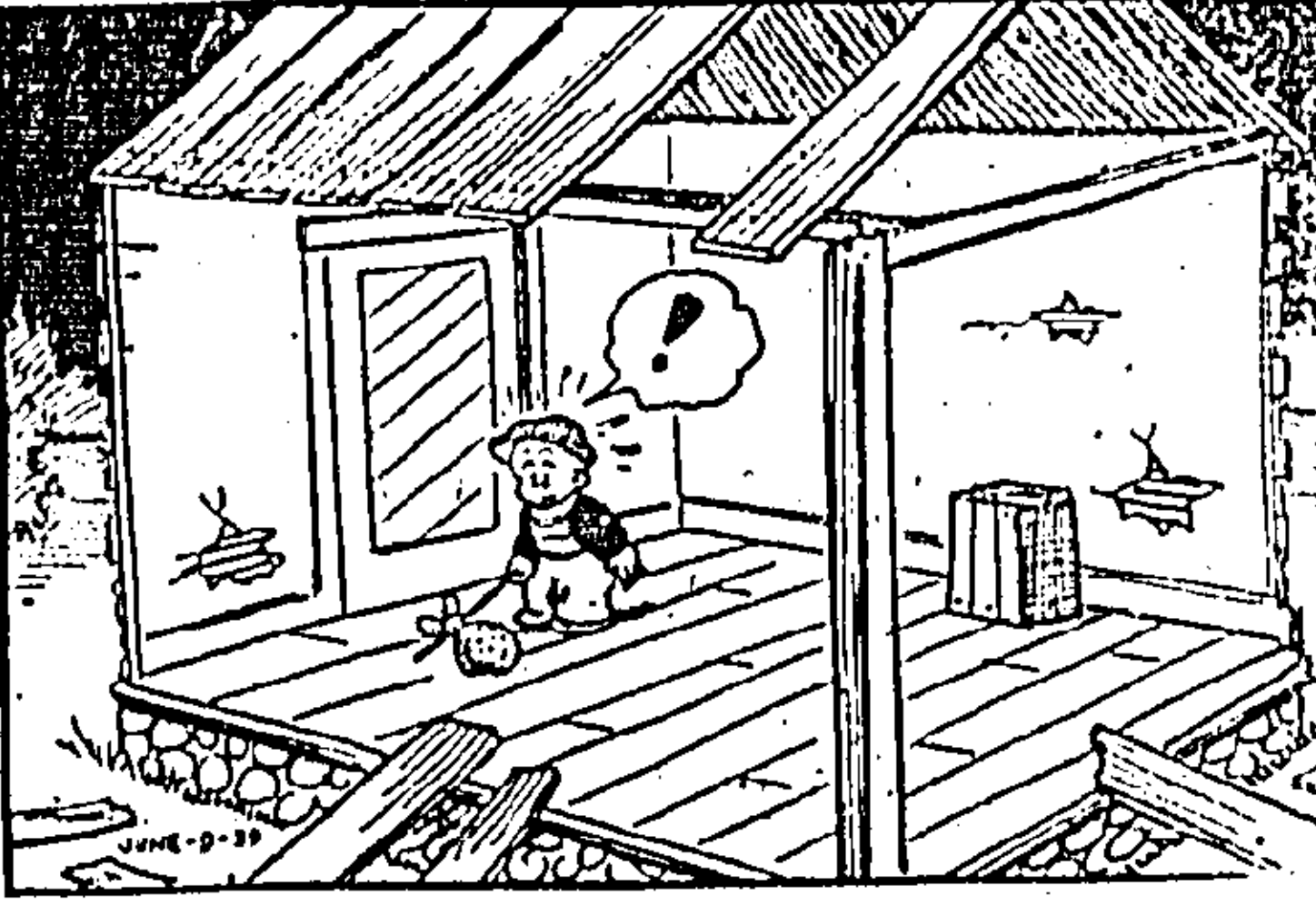
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BOWLS LEAGUE LEADERS PLAYING AT HOME

Good Struggle Should Be Witnessed To-Day On Sookunpoo Green

(By "Abe")

No appreciable changes in the positions of the League Table are likely at the conclusion of to-day's matches in the First Division of the Hongkong Lawn Bowls League. The four top teams, the Club de Recreio "A" (last year's champions), the Kowloon C.C., Craigengower C.C. and the Indian R.C., are all playing at home and all should win.

The only match that is open to doubt in my opinion is that at Sookunpoo between the Indians and the Kowloon B.G.C. It will be recalled that the Indians won handsomely at Austin Road on May 6 by 10 shots, and having won away, they are not likely to lose on their own green where they are so deadly. But the Kowloon B.G.C. men have been doing very well since then, and with the couple of changes made specially for this match, nobody can tell whether they cause an upset.

Indications are that the green at Sookunpoo to-day will be a "ferry" one—which ought to suit the Kowloon B.G.C. men as much as it does the Indians.

CHAMPION SHOULD WIN
The champions are at home to the Police R.C., and though one realises that the Police have shown a great improvement in some of their recent matches, one doubts very much whether they will be good enough to threaten the Recreio "A".

Then, at Happy Valley the Craigengower C.C. will entertain Kowloon Dock, who are not doing so well at the moment. The Valley players, of course, ought to win comfortably.

The last match in this division is that between the Kowloon C.C. and the Club de Recreio "B". In their last two home matches, the Kowloon C.C. have beaten the Craigengower C.C. and the Indian R.C. in succession and are now unlikely to be checked by the Recreio "B".

The Civil Servants, who won their first match of the present season last Saturday, are not engaged to-day—which is a pity, because if they had got into their stride at last this break will probably do them no good.

JUNIOR MATCHES
Of the two leaders in the Second Division, Talkoo R.C. are playing away to Kowloon Tong and despite this handicap they should take both points, while the Hongkong Football Club are at home to the Craigengower C.C., who have struck a bad patch at the moment. However, a victory for the C.C.C. will put them back near the top.

The Kowloon C.C., Club de Recreio and Hongkong Football Club, leaders of the Third Division, are all at home and they ought to retain their positions.

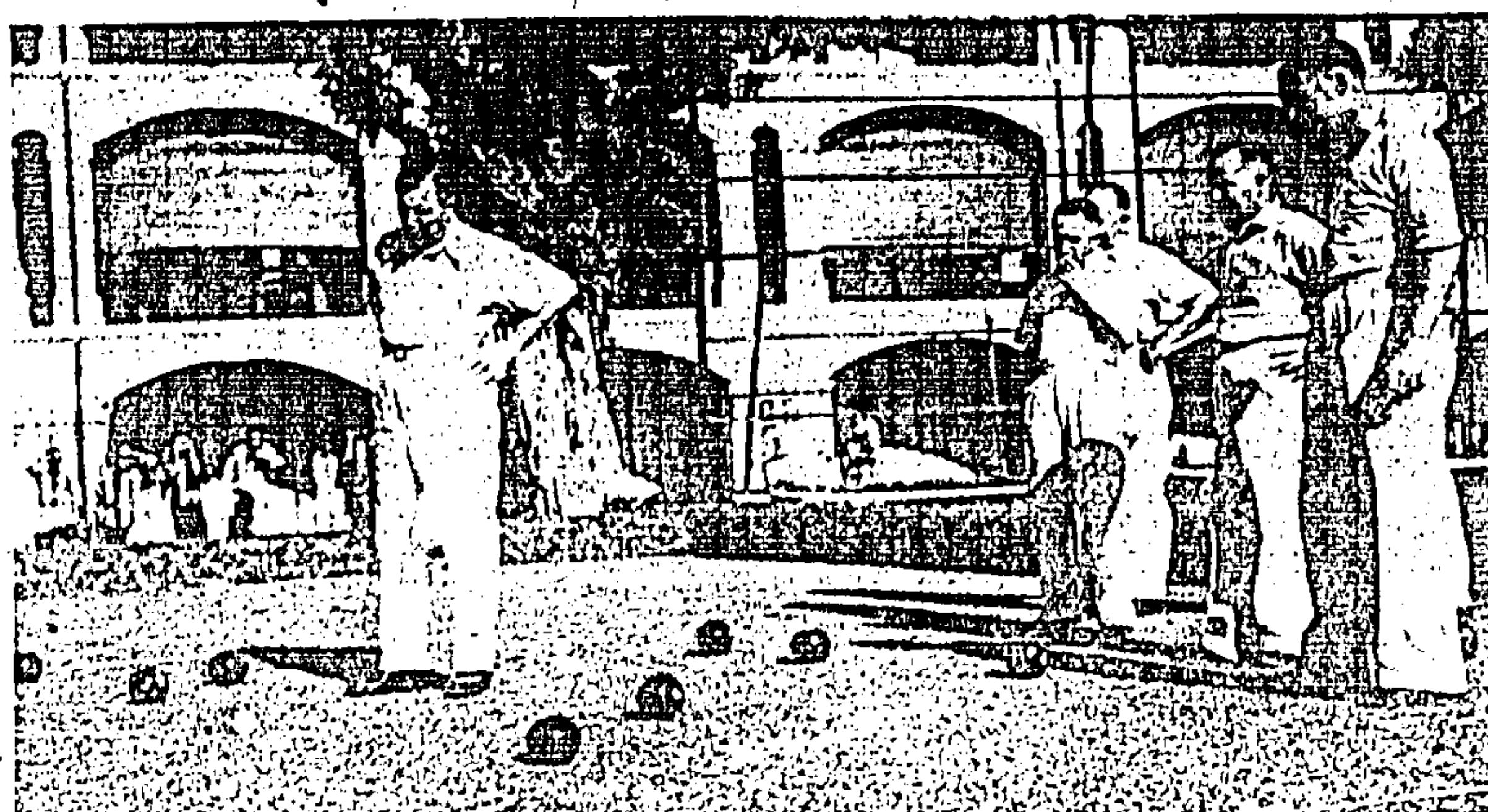
The following is the programme:

First Division
Indians v Bowling Green
Craigengower v Kowloon Dock
Recreio A v Police
Kowloon C.C. v Recreio B

Second Division
Kowloon F.C. v Bowling Green
Police v Civil Service
Hongkong F.C. v Craigengower
Kowloon T.C. v Talkoo

Third Division
Recreio v Craigengower
Hongkong F.C. v Bowling Green
Electric v Kowloon F.C.

PLAYERS SELECTED
First Division
Indians: A. H. Rumball, A. Baker
Kowloon B.G.C.: A. S. Russell, S. M. White



Picture was taken on the Hongkong C.C. green yesterday when a team led by the Hon. Mr. T. E. Pearce entertained a team captained by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, at bowls. Seen in the picture are (left to right) His Excellency, J. A. Fraser, T. E. Pearce, H. H. Wild, and A. K. Mackenzie. —Staff Photographer.

First Bowls Match At Hongkong C.C.

In the first lawn bowls match to be played in the Hongkong Cricket Club green, a team led by Mr. T. E. Pearce beat His Excellency the Governor's team 84-48 yesterday. Though the match was most enjoyable, the standard of bowls was not high.

A seven was scored by B. E. Maughan's rink on the 11th head against Dr. J. T. Smalley, who was at that time leading by 10-5. Dr. Smalley, however, took the lead again on the 13th head, scoring a five to total 15-14, but on the remaining eight heads, Dr. Smalley could only score four.

J. Deakin's rink, which included His Excellency, scored a two on the first head but thereafter were led all the way.

The remaining game was close. After a running start A. W. Brown's rink led Col. White's rink 17-0 on the 10th head. One on the 10th and a four on the 20th brought Col. White within striking distance, but the last head only yielded a single.

The scores were:
T. E. Pearce, A. K. Mackenzie, R. H. Wild and G. Costello beat J. A. Fraser, Capt. Wylie, His Excellency the Governor and J. Deakin 21-15.
C. B. Brown, D. Drummond, A. Nisim and A. W. Brown beat Lt. Col. Collin, His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl McGregor, S. H. Dodwell and Colonel White 17-14.

W. A. Cornell, J. Owen Hughes, A. S. Mitchell and B. E. Maughan beat E. Cook, His Honour Mr. Justice H. E. Lindell and Dr. J. T. Smalley 20-19.

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Hongkong F.C. v Kowloon B.G.C.
C. G. Solis v Morton
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Kowloon C.C. v Yacht Club
T. A. Fabel v E. Hosper
W. E. Hobbs v G. H. Bond
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J. M. Jack v A. W. Brown

W. Naef v P. S. Cassidy, G. K. Taylor v L. E. Ryan, W. Ramley v A. S. Mitchell, T. W. Carr v J. E. Maughan

T. Hunter v W. A. Cornell, J. Hennessey v D. Drummond, H. H. Wild v H. H. Wild, W. H. Hirst v G. E. Costello

Hongkong Electric v Kowloon F. C.
J. H. Way v S. Wong
W. Macfarlane v D. Izart
C. R. Thomson v W. Petherick
W. B. Musket v J. McCarthy

L. de Rome v P. McCarthy, A. G. Gardner v P. McCarthy, A. F. Paul v P. McCarthy

R. A. Owens v W. Woodcock, H. C. Butler v H. Mills, H. S. McKay v A. Moss, J. K. Stonn

Indoor Bowling Bowlers Beat Beer Barons In Ewo Match

In a second round match of the third tourney of the Ewo League played at the Hongkong Bowling Alley yesterday, The Bowlers beat The Beer Barons by 252 points. Tong Seng of U.S.S. Tulsa acted as substitute for a player short on the losing side and he recorded the second highest score for the team. G. Woolgar was highest scorer for the winners.

The Bowlers
G. Woolgar 200 143 141 484
A. W. Stanger 120 103 100 423
A. H. Bates 133 102 127 462
O. Guttinger 104 103 131 418
Total 1,760

The Beer Barons
N. R. Kirk 100 120 133 453
Tong Seng 120 120 127 467
A. H. Bates 70 102 127 399
N. Bookler 102 91 70 271
Total 1,450

Mixed Pairs Competition
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horton beat Mr. E. Zimmermann and Miss M. Churn by 82 points in the second round of the Mixed Pairs Competition.

Although she was out of practice, Miss Churn gave a creditable display when she volunteered to take the place of Mrs. E. Zimmermann, who was unable to play owing to indisposition.

Total
C. Horton 130 154 145 429
M. Churn 100 84 102 286
Total 414

Three Men Break Two-Mile Mark

Helsinki, July 7.
A new two-mile world record was established to-day by Taisio Maeki with a time of 8 mins. 53.2 secs., which beats the previous best of 8 mins. 56 secs. held by Miklos Szabo, of Hungary.

The second man in to-day's race, Tuominen, who covered the distance in 9 mins. 53.5 secs. and the third, who was clocked in 10 mins. 54.8 secs., also broke the previous record.

DOG SHOW SUCCESS

Event Will be Made An Annual Attraction

The dog show held at St. John's Place in March last proved such a great success, according to an announcement by the Secretary, Mr. H. M. Howell yesterday, that it is proposed to make the Show an annual event.

Surplus funds realised amounted to \$1,448.31.

It has been decided to allocate the surplus funds as follows—\$1,000 to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; \$100 to the Boy Scouts Association, and \$348.31 to be carried forward for the next show.

U.S.R.C. Too Good For Recreio Pairs

A postponed match in the Mixed Doubles Division of the Lawn Tennis League was held at King's Park yesterday when United Services Recreation Club beat Club de Recreio 7-5-1-2.

The matches were played on the newly returned grass courts, which are a big improvement on the other grass courts and rank among the best in the Colony, although they are still in need of some rolling.

W. A. H. Duff and Miss M. Griliths (U.S.R.C.) beat A. V. Remedios and Miss O. Ribeiro 6-2; beat A. V. Gosano and Mrs. C. Noronha 6-0; beat J. Gonzales and Miss Silva 6-1.

Goldman and Miss A. Taylor (U.S.R.C.) beat Remedios and Miss Ribeiro 6-2; beat Gosano and Mrs. Noronha 6-0; beat Gonzales and Miss Silva 6-1.

L. Tomlinson and Mrs. Skinner (U.S.R.C.) drew with Remedios and Miss Ribeiro; beat Gosano and Mrs. Noronha 6-1; lost to Gonzales and Miss Silva 4-6.

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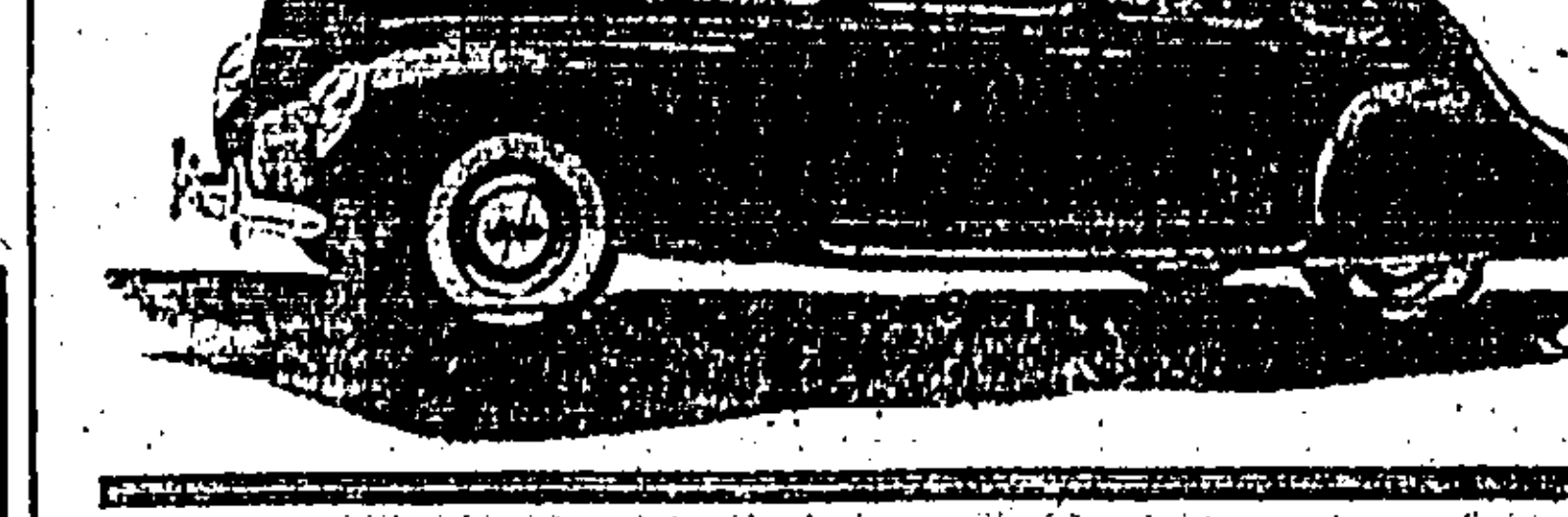
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The above Meeting postponed from Sunday, 2nd July, will be held on Sunday, 9th July, 1939. The First Race will be run at 1.45 p.m. and the first race will be run at 2.15 p.m. approximately.

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Hongkong, 5th July, 1939.

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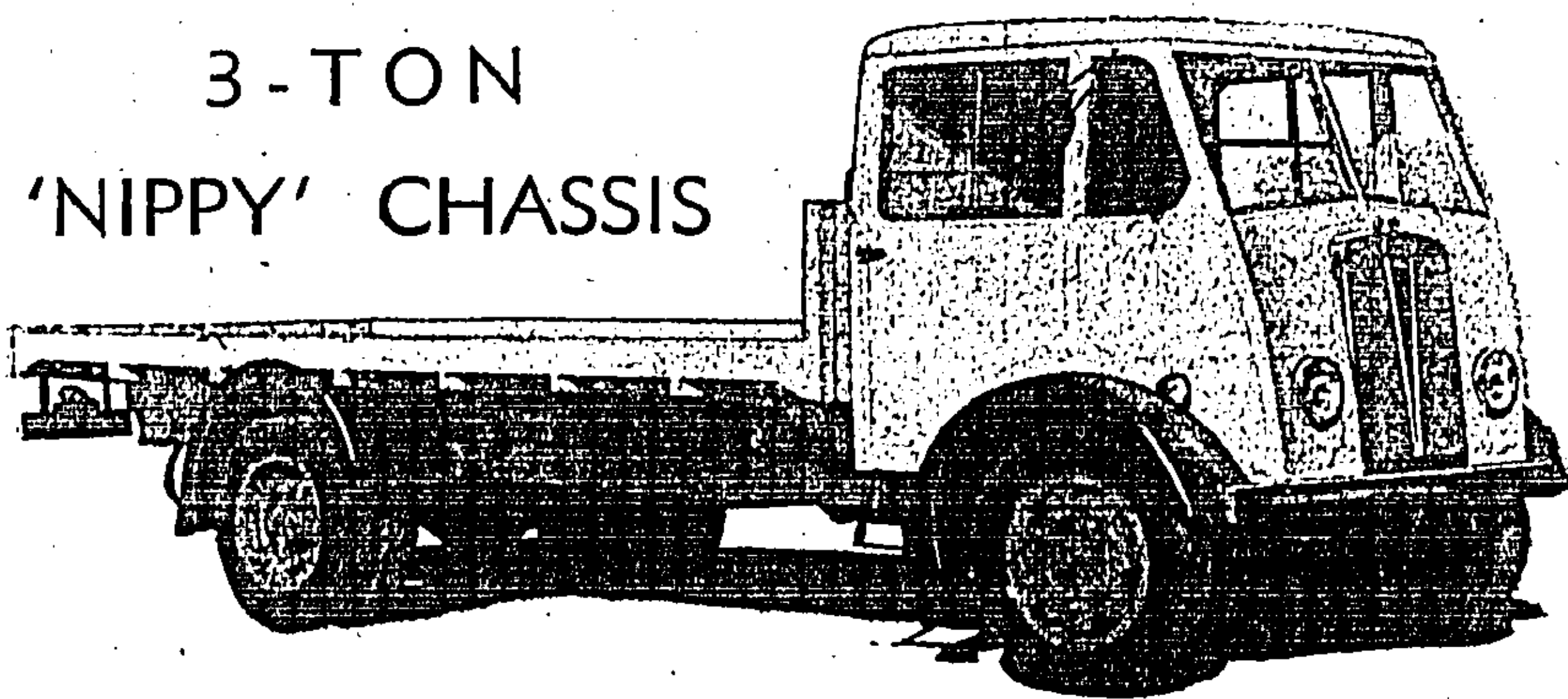
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CHURCH NOTICES.

METHODIST CHURCH (Wanchai)

Rev. J. C. Sandbach To
Preach To-morrow

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Preachers: Morning, Rev. Donald L. Childs; Evening, Rev. J. E. Sandbach.
Morning Service at 10.15 a.m. Hymn No. 32, Prayer, Hymn No. 615, 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 52, 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 507, Sermon, Hymn No. 509, Benediction.
Evening Service at 7 p.m. Hymn No. 678, Prayer, Hymn No. 101, Lesson, Prayer, Hymn No. 508, Sermon, Hymn No. 667, Benediction.

Notices for the Week
1. Following the Evening Service a Special Hour will be held at the S. & S. Home at 8.15 p.m. All Servicemen and civilians will be warmly welcomed.
2. There will be a meeting for Prayer and Fellowship at the S. & S. Home on Tuesday at 8.30 p.m.

UNION CHURCH (Kennedy Road)

Offerings on Sundays For
Bible Society

Morning Service, 10.30 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m.
Preacher at Morning Service, Revs. K. Mackenzie Dow and J. Wisdom.
Evening Service, Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.

The offerings at both services will be devoted to the British and Foreign Bible Society.
The Helena May Christian Fellowship meets in the Institute on Friday morning at 10.30 a.m. All ladies of Union Church are cordially invited to attend.

LESSON SERMON

First Church of Christ,
Scientist, Hongkong
SUBJECT—SACRAMENT

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science churches to-morrow July 9 will be "Sacrament".
The Golden Text will be—"Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me." (Psalm 51:10).
Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible—"Now the disciples came to Jesus, saying unto him, Where wilt thou eat the passover? And he said, Go into the city to such a man, and say unto him, The Master saith, My passover is at hand; I will keep the passover at thy house with my disciples. Now when the even was come, he sat down with the twelve. And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and blessed it, and brake it, and gave it to the disciples, and said, Eat; this is my body. And he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all of it; for this is my blood of the new testament, which is shed for many for the remission of sins." (Matt. 26:17, 18, 26-28).

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Text-book, Science and Health with key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy—"The Passover, which Jesus ate with his disciples in the month Nisan on the night before his crucifixion, was a memorial occasion, a fast supper taken at the close of day, in the twilight of a glorious career with shadowed foreboding of the ritualism or consecration to matter. Are all who eat bread and drink wine in memory of Jesus willing truly to drink his cup, take his cross, and leave all for the Christ-principle? The true sense is spiritually lost, if the sacrament is confined to the use of bread and wine." (Pages 32 & 33).

Announcement
First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hongkong, (a branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass.) No. 31 Macdonnell Road, close to Peak Tram Station, Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m. A Reading Room is open every morning (except Sunday) from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 8.30 a.m. to 10 p.m. All authorized Christian Science literature is available at the Reading Room. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH (Church of England, Kowloon)

Special Summer Services
To-morrow

COMMUNION BREAKFAST

Sunday, July 9.—Fifth Sunday after Trinity.

Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Celebrant: The Bishop of Hongkong. The monthly Holy Communion Fellowship Breakfast will follow this service.

Mattins at 11 a.m. Preacher: The Vicar. Subject: "The Principal Witness."

Evensong at 7 p.m. Preacher: The Vicar. Subject: "Life and my neighbour." (Evensong throughout the summer will last approximately 50 minutes with very popular hymns, short addresses and a solo, anthem or organ solo at every service).

Primary Sunday School in the Hall 10 a.m. Leader: Miss Robinson.

The Young People's Service will not be held during the summer.

Monday, July 10.—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.; Fellowship of Youth 6 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club "open" night at 8.30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 11.—Boys' Choir Practice 6 p.m.; Monthly Summer meeting of the Mothers Union will be held at 3 p.m.

Wednesday, July 12.—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.; St. Andrew's Wolf Cubs 5.30 p.m.; St. Andrew's Rover Scouts (1st Kowloon) meet at 11 Cumberland Road, Kowloon Tong at 8.45 p.m.

Thursday, July 13.—St. Andrew's Boy Scout Troop meet at 6 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club Ping Pong Tournament at 8.30 p.m.

Friday, July 14.—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.; Full Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.; T.C. H. meets in the Chatter Room at 6.30 p.m.

Saturday, July 15.—St. Andrew's Club Launch Bathing Picnic leaves the Police Pier at 3 p.m.; All members and friends of the Club and the Church are invited to attend.

Services, preachers and announcements for week.

Rev. Charles Strong to preach at Mattins. Course of special lecture sermons begins at evensong.

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Preacher: The Rev. Chas. Strong; Chaplain of the Missions to Seamen; 11 a.m. Mandarin Service; 6.30 p.m. Evensong. Preacher, the Vicar. First of a series of four lecture sermons on the Old Testament. "Old Testament Narratives." The other three sub-jects in this series will be—July 16, Prophets; 23, Poetry and drama; 30, "Wisdom" literature.

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From	Per	Due
Straits	Burdwan	July 9.
Bangkok	Kalgan	July 9.
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Shanghai and Amoy	Taiwan	July 9.
Japan and Shanghai	Chenonceaux	July 10.
Manila	Gertrude Maerck	July 10.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 5th July	Imperial Airways Plane	July 10.
Calcutta, Straits and Saigon	Islami	July 10.
Japan	Anyo Maru	July 11.
Straits	Cremer	July 11.
Shanghai	Deucalion	July 11.
Haliphong, Pakhol, Holhow and Fort Bayard	Sulyang	July 11.
Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"—Paris date, 5th July	Air France Plane	July 12.
Straits and Manila	Gneisenau	July 12.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 5th July	Pan American Airways Plane	July 12.
Java and Manila	Tjisalak	July 12.
Straits	Cyclops	July 13.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C. date, 24th June)	Emp. of Asia	July 13.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 8th July	Imperial Airways Plane	July 13.
Straits	Menelaus	July 13.

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For	Per	Date and Time.
Saturday		
(Papers only for Straits, Ceylon, India and Mombasa) Beira, Lourenco Marques and (Parcels and Papers only for South Africa via Durban)	Africa Maru	Sat., July 8, 12.30 p.m.
Amoy	Anhui	Sat., July 8, 5 p.m.
Saigon	Lyceum	Sat., July 8, 5 p.m.
Sunday		
Swatow	Esang	Sun., July 9, 9 a.m.
Shanghai	Kynging	Sun., July 9, 9 a.m.
Monday		
Saigon	Chenonceaux	Mon., July 10, 10.30 a.m.
Haliphong	Canton	Mon., July 10, 2 p.m.
Bangkok	Bust	Mon., July 10, 3.30 p.m.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 17th July	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon., July 10.
	K.P.O.	July 10, 5 p.m.
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	Ord.	July 10, 7 p.m.
Haliphong	Chekiang	Mon., July 10, 7 p.m.
Tuesday		
Shanghai and Japan	Burdwan	Tues., July 11, 2.30 p.m.
Parcels only for Straits, Penang, Deucalion and London—due London, 17th August	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Tues., July 11, 5 p.m.
Japan	Islami	Tues., July 11, 7 p.m.
Wednesday		
Dairen	Ixon	Wed., July 12, 9.30 a.m.
Air Mail for Indo-China—due Hanoi, 12th July	Air France Plane	Wed., July 12.
	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	July 12, 11.30 a.m.
	Reg.	July 12, Noon.
Shanghai	Gneisenau	Wed., July 12, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Taksang	Wed., July 12, 2.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Xusang	Wed., July 12, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Taiwan	Wed., July 12, 3.30 p.m.
Parcels only for Straits	Anhui	Wed., July 12, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Iulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco 13th July	Pan American Airways Plane	Wed., July 12.
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	Ord.	July 12, 5.30 p.m.
	G.P.O.	July 12, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	July 13, 7.30 a.m.
Thursday		
Parcels and Papers only for Calcutta Kumsang	Parcels	Thurs., July 13, 11 a.m.
	Papers	July 13, Noon.
Manila	Emp. of Asia	Thurs., July 13, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America via San Francisco and (Papers only for Canada)—due San Francisco, 3rd August—and Europe (except Great Britain and Elton) via Siberia	President Pierce	Thurs., July 13.
	K.P.O.	July 13, 4 p.m.
	Reg.	July 13, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	July 13, 5.30 p.m.
	G.P.O.	July 13, 4 p.m.
	Reg.	July 13, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	July 13, 7 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand Taiping via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 25th July	K. P. O.	Thurs., July 13.
	Parcels	July 13, 4 p.m.
	Reg.	July 13, 5 p.m.
	Letters	July 13, 5.30 p.m.
	G. P. O.	July 13, 4 p.m.
	Reg.	July 13, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	July 13, 5 p.m.
	G.P.O.	July 13, 7 p.m.
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Imperial Airways Plane	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., July 13.
Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney 21st July	K.P.O.	July 13, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	July 13, 5.30 p.m.
	Ord.	July 13, 5.30 p.m.
	G.P.O.	July 13, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	July 13, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	July 13, 7 p.m.
Friday		
Brindisi—due Brindisi, 4th August. Conio Rosso	Conio Rosso	Fri., July 14, 3.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 25th July	K.L.M.	Fri., July 14.
	Reg.	July 14, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	July 14, 5.30 p.m.
	G.P.O.	July 14, 5 p.m.
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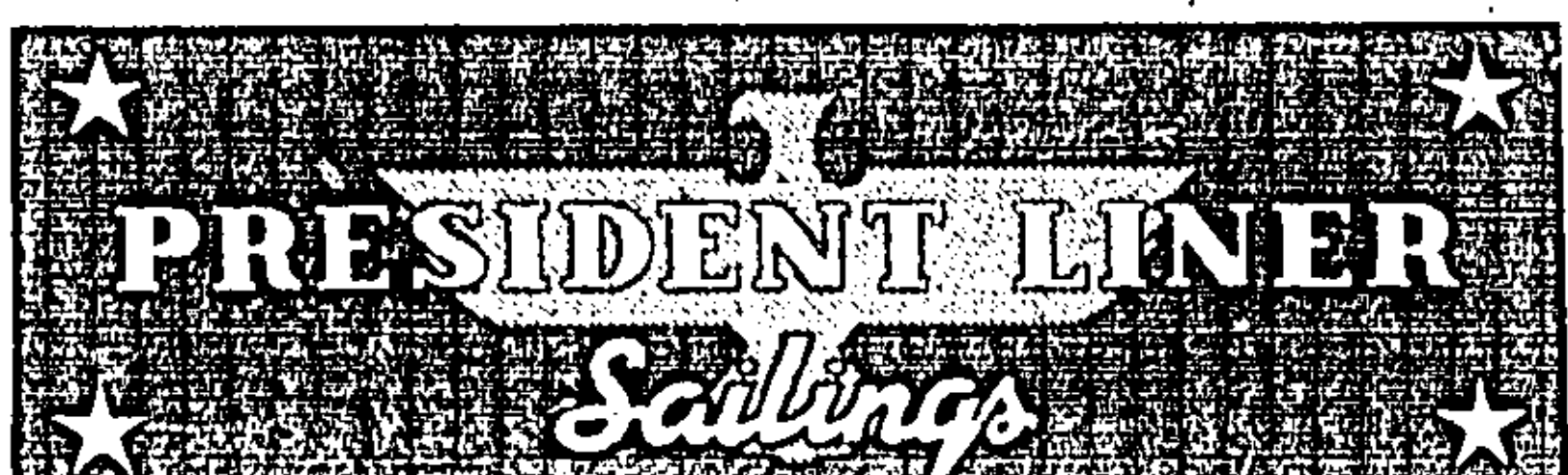
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12.00-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service
of Intercession from St. John's
Cathedral.

12.30 Columbia Orchestra.

March of the Toys (from "Babes
in Toyland"—Herbert).....Columbia
Symphony Orchestra directed by
Robert H. Bowers; Traumatic
Clock (Krone); Blauer Pavillon
(Armstrong).....Columbia Master
Orchestra; Italian Folk Songs—Medley
(de Michel).....Columbia Master
Orchestra; Coucou—Valse (Johan-
sen); Fete Champetre—Polka (Com-
poser Unknown).....Columbia
Quintet with Accordion; Waldeslust—
Waltz (Schlesinger); Wiener Prater
Leben—Waltz (Translator).....Columbia
Sulzer Orchestra.1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather
Report.1.03 The Comedy Harmonists (Vocal)
and Robinson Cleaver (Organ).How Can It Be (Folk Song); Must
I Then (Folk Song).....Comedy
Harmonists with Piano (Song in Ger-
man); Frigulita Serenade (Lehar);
The Whistler And His Dog (Pryor).....
Robinson Cleaver at the Organ of
the Regal Cinema, Boxley Heath; The
Village Band (Kirsten and Others).....
Comedy Harmonists with Piano.Musical Sweethearts: Intro: Polly;
Dinah; Nola; Dainty Miss; Miss An-
nabelle Lee; Somebody stole my Gal.....
Robinson Cleaver; Love Me A
Little.....To-day (Herbert and
Broderick); Congo Lullaby (Olm
Sanders of the River).....Comedy
Harmonists with Piano.1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press,
Weather Forecast and Announ-
cements.1.40 Latest Dance Music and
Variety.Vocal—Sing A Song of Harvest
(from "Kentucky Moonshine"); Just
Let Me Look At You (from "Joy of
Living").....Kenny Baker with Or-
chestra; Orchestra—Rio Rita (Ted-
ney).....The Silesia Song (Fried-
Vallée).....Philip Green and His Or-
chestra; Vocal—If It Rains Who
Cares? (Leslie, Burke); You Leave
Me Breathless (from "Cocoanut
Grove").....Connie Boswell with Or-
chestra; Rumba—La Conga Bileto;
Let Me Whisper, I Love You.....Don
Marino Barreto and His Cuban Or-
chestra; Vocal—Banjo Song
Medley; Intro: Ring de Banjo; A
Banjo Song; Mr. Punch; With a Banjo
on my Knee.....The Kentucky Min-
strels with The Kentucky Banjo Toun-
tr.

2.15 Close Down.

6.00 Compositions of Chopin.

Prelude in C Minor, Op. 28, No. 20;
Mazurka in A Minor, Op. 68, No. 2
(Rach.).....John Hunt (Piano);
Polonaise Militaire in A Major, Op. 41;
Boston Promenade Orchestra cond.
by Arthur Fiedler; Das Ringlein (The
Maiden's Wish).....Miliza Korjus
(Soprano) with the Berlin State
Opera Orchestra (Sung in German);
Santita in B Flat Minor, Op. 39;
Etude in B Minor, Op. 25, No. 10.....
Percy Grainger (Piano); Etude No. 7
(Transcription).....Lencer String
Quartet.6.45 Closing Local Stock Quota-
tions.6.45 London Relay—"Lucky Dip".
Twenty-third Edition.7.30 A France Programme with
Jane Bathori (Mezzo-Soprano);
Bande (Faure, Op. 19).....Mme.
Marguerite Long (Piano) with Or-**"Lucky Dip" and Other
London Relays**

THE KENTUCKY MINSTRELS

chestra cond. by Philippe Gaubert;
Pommes Jute (Milhaud); (a) Chant
de nourrice; (b) Chant de resignation;
(c) Chant d'amour.....Jane Bathori
(Mezzo-Soprano) with Darius Mil-
haud at the Piano; Clair de Lune
(Faure).....Jane Bathori (Mezzo-
Soprano) accompanying herself at
the Piano; Scherzo Valse (Chabrier;
arr. Loefler).....Joseph Szilag (Vio-
lin) with Nikita de Magnoli at the
Piano.8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather
Report and Announcements.

8.03 Latest Variety Numbers.

Vocal—Violin in Vienna (Strauss-
Dale).....Al. Bowly with Orchestra;
Humoresque—Virginia And New Moon
(Overhauled by Ivy St. Heller).....
Ivy St. Heller—Entertainer at the
Piano (In English and French); Or-
chestra—"Deep Purple" (Parish-De
Rose).....Gerardo and His Orchestra;
Valse—For Your Sake (Lawrence);
I Didn't Anyone Till
You (Noble).....Connie Boswell with
Orchestra; Military Band—Passing
Of The Regiment (arr. Winter).....
The Band Of H. M. Coldstream
Guards cond. by Lieut. J. C. Windram.8.30 London Relay—Relay Golf—The
British Open Championship.An account of the morning's play
from the Royal and Ancient Club, St.
Andrew's.8.45 B.B.C. Recording—The Ken-
tucky Minstrels.Devised and produced by Harry S.
Pepper.

9.15 London Relay—The News.

9.30 London Relay—"London Log".

9.45 London Relay—Stock Ex-
change Report and Sports News.

9.50 Local Sport Results.

9.53 Relay of the Dance Orchestra
from the Grill Room of the Hong
Kong Hotel.With recorded intervals from ZBW,
12.0 midnight Close down.

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11.0 a.m.-12.15 p.m. Relay of
Morning Service from St. John's
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12.15 A Schubert Programme.

Andantino Valse (In B Minor, Op.
84, No. 1).....Arthur Schnabel
and Karl Ulrich Schnabel (Piano Duo);
The Shepherd on the Rock.....Elisa-
beth Schumann (Soprano) with
Piano accom. by George Reeves,
Chariot by Reginald Kell; Rondo in
A Major, Op. 120.....The Tem-
ple Chamber Orchestra; Moment
Musical in A Flat Major, Op. 9;
Op. 84, No. 6; Solree De Vienne
No. 8.....Wilhelm Backhaus (Piano);
Schubert Waltzes.....Symphony Or-
chestra cond. by Walter Goehr.1.0 Local Time Signal and Weather
Report.1.03 Bruch—Concerto No. 1 In G
Minor, Op. 26.Yehudi Menuhin (Violin) and the
London Symphony Orchestra con-
ducted by Sir Landon Ronald.1.27 A Song by Maria Olaszewska
(Contralto).Sapphic Ode (Brahms).....with
Piano accom. by George Reeves.1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather
Report and Announcements.1.40 Puccini's "Madam Butterfly"
Act I.Singers in order of appearance: I.
Mannarini (Mezzo-Soprano), L. Cecil
(Tenor), N. Pini (Tenor), V. Wein-
berg (Baritone), M. Sheridan (So-
prano), A. Gelli (Bass), and Masini
(Bass) with Members of La Scala
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2.30 Close down.

7.0 An Hour of Mozart's Music.

Alleluia.....Elisabeth Schumann
(Soprano) with Orchestra (In Latin);
Overture "Goli Goli".....The
B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra cond. by
Adrian Boult; Rondo (from Serenade
in D Major, K. 250 "Hoffner").....
Fritz Kreisler (Violin) with Piano
accom. by Franz Rupp; Concerto In
A Major, K. V. 488.....Arthur Rubin-
stein (Piano) and the London Sym-
phony Orchestra cond. by John Bar-
birolli; A Fugue told in me you see
from "The Magic Flute"; A Maiden
Fair and Stender (from The Magic
Flute).....Ewald Bohmer (Barito-
ne) and the Berlin State Opera
Orchestra; Adagio And Fugue In C
Minor, K. 441.....The Adolf Busch
Chamber Players directed by Adolf
Busch; Give me thy hand, O fairest
(from "Don Juan").....Erna Berger
(Soprano) and Heinrich Schlusman
(Baritone); The Letter Duet (from
The Marriage of Figaro).....Vocals
Ursuline (Soprano) and Erna Berger
(Soprano).8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather
Report and Announcements.8.03 Haydn—Symphony No. 6 In
G Major ("Surprise").Boston Symphony Orchestra con-
ducted by Serge Koussevitzky.

8.20 Anatole Ktalan at the Piano.

Scherzo No. 1 In E Minor (Chopin,
Op. 20); Ballade In D Minor ("Ed-
ward"—Brahms, Op. 10, No. 1);
Waltzes (Brahms, Op. 39); Etude
in B Minor, Op. 33, No. 1
(Rachmaninoff); Prelude In G Sharp
Minor, Op. 32, No. 12 (Rach-
maninoff); Etude, Op. 2, No. 1
(Scriabin); Prelude, Op. 11, No. 2
(Scriabin).8.51 Saint-Saens—Introduction And
Ronde Capricieuse, Op. 28.Alfredo Campoli (Violin) and the
London Symphony Orchestra con-
ducted by Walter Goehr.9.0 Songs by Mavis Bennett (So-
prano).Solveig's Song ("Peer Gyn")—
Grigori; Le Hero The Gentle Lark
(Bishop); The Wolf's Song (Tales
Of Hoffmann)—Offenbach; Wine,
Women And Song (Strauss).9.15 London Relay—The News and
Newsletter.

9.35 London Relay—Sports Talk.

9.45 The B.B.C. Symphony Orches-
tra conducted by Arturo Toscanini.

Tragic Overture, Op. 31 (Brahms).

10.0 Organ Music.

Piece Heroique (Cesar Franck).....
Edouard Commette at the Organ of
the Cathedral Saint-Jean de Lyon.10.10 Studio—Sunday Evening
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LATE NEWS

Chungking Raid Details

CHUNGKING, July 7. During the Japanese air raids in the early hours of this morning, five bombs hit within a radius of 50 yards of the British gunboat H.M.S. Falcon. The concussion knocked doors from their hinges and smashed the thick plate glass in the vessel's portholes, sending waves over the decks and washing off tons of petrol.

Nobody aboard the gunboat was injured. One bomb hit the old American Naval Canteen about 100 yards from the Falcon. The United States flag was plainly pointed on the canteen's roof, although the building is owned by Chinese now and was vacant at the time of the bombing.

One bomb exploded within 50 feet of the home of Mr. Willy Spreck, Counselor to the American Embassy. Another hit an uncompleted dugout nearby, killing 35 people.

Another direct hit was scored on a building under construction. Joseph Shen, an Hawaiian-born American citizen, was injured. Mr. Shen was chief pilot for the China National Aviation Corporation. He was hit by shrapnel in the kidneys and he is not expected to live.

A launch from the American gunboat transported the injured man from the city across the Yangtze to the Canadian Mission Hospital. The American gunboat also sent launches to assist H.M.S. Falcon, which, however, did not need assistance.

Foreign naval authorities expressed the opinion that there is a "strong possibility" that the Japanese planes intentionally bombed the south bank of the Yangtze near the Falcon, hoping "for a possible hit to test the British attitude."

They claim there is no possible object nearby and that the bombings of the past two nights have been too close "to be haphazard aiming."

They added that all the bombings on the south shore of the Yangtze are "evidently intended for the foreign community's benefit."

The bombs in the city area demolished a printing shop and some houses near Consulate Row.

It has been learned that the British Embassy is planning a vigorous protest against the bombing near the Falcon.—United Press.

Chamberlain's Statement

London, July 7. British quarters say that Mr. Chamberlain is now certain to make a statement regarding Danzig early next week.

It is expected that the statement will fall in two parts; one aimed at the British public and the other at foreign powers, particularly Germany.

The part aimed at the British public will be a historical resume destined to disprove the German allegation that the British guarantee to Poland has encouraged the Poles to break off relations with Germany for the settlement of the Danzig problem. It will cite evidence to show that German demands obliged Poland to break off negotiations prior to the British guarantee.

The purpose of this part of the statement will apparently be to overcome the British public's misgivings regarding Danzig and show the nation why it ought to be ready to fight if the Poles resist an attempt to change the status of Danzig.

The second part, according to British quarters, will be the unequivocal declaration of British support to Poland if the latter resists an attempt to change the status of Danzig without her approval.

The entry of the Soviet Union into the security bloc is still as problematical, as it was 13 weeks ago when the negotiations began.—United Press.

Chinese Send £277 To Thetis Fund

Hongkong Chinese have contributed £277 towards the Mansion House Fund for the dependents of the men lost in the submarine Thetis, according to a "British Wireless" message from London.

The Lord Mayor received the contribution yesterday, and it is announced that the fund now stands at £84,000.

The donation by local Chinese was accompanied by a letter of sympathy. Other contributions from overseas received during the last few days include £235 raised by a flag-day in Gibraltar, and £100 from Nikana in Northern Rhodesia, the proceeds of the dance organised by the Women's Institute.

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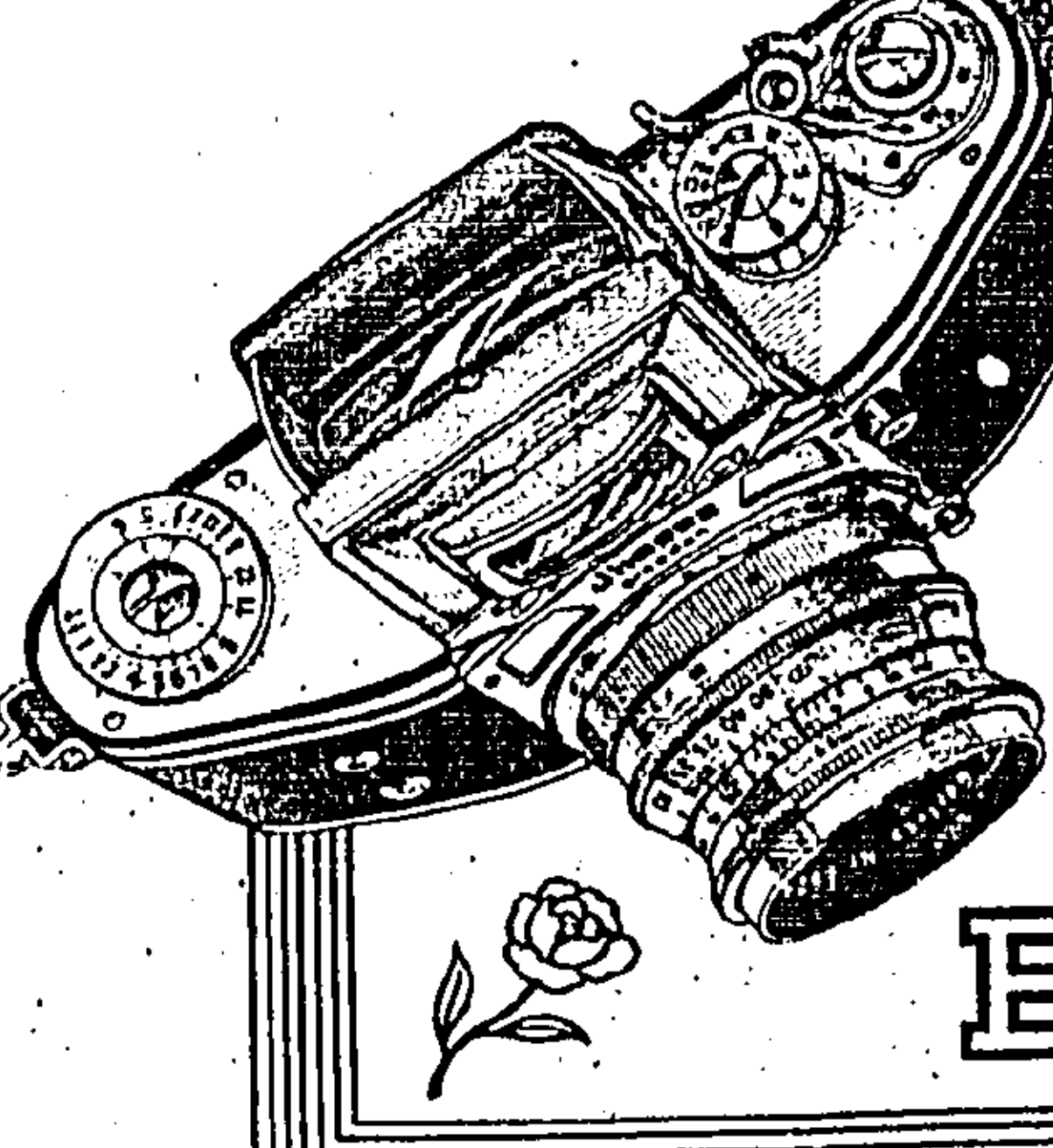
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